

# BURNS TO DEATH IN WHEELCHAIR

## Fund Drive Started to Battle Fla. Terror Wave

### Ind. Drive to Aid Fight on Fla. Terrorism

The Indiana State Conference of NAACP Branches and the Indianapolis NAACP branch have joined with the NAACP national office, New York, in soliciting a fund to combat the reign of terror against Negro citizenry of Florida and bring to justice the bombing slayers of Harry T. Moore and his wife at Mims, Fla.

Issuing a statement jointly this week Willard B. Ransom, president of the Indiana State Conference of NAACP branches and Rev. J. A. G. Jordan, president of the local branch said:

#### Aid of All Groups Asked

"The national office of the NAACP, the Indiana State Conference of NAACP branches and the Indianapolis NAACP branch are asking all individuals and groups to join the protest against the brutal killing of Harry T. Moore and his wife at Mims, Fla. 'No Negro citizen or any other minority in America is safe or secure while these terroristic acts continue. We urge everyone to protest—AND DIG DOWN AND CONTRIBUTE!'

"Remember that Mr. and Mrs. Harry T. Moore were fighting solely for the right to be first class American citizens. We earnestly urge you to send a contribution to the Indianapolis Branch of the NAACP, 510 N. West street, Indianapolis, or for the NAACP ACTION-PROTEST FUND in care of The Indianapolis Recorder, 518-20 Indiana avenue, Indianapolis.

#### Appeal to Truman Urged

"Send telegrams of protest to President Truman, Gov. Fuller Warren, Tallahassee, Fla., and U.S. Attorney General J. Howard McGrath.

"The bombing of Jewish synagogues and Catholic churches and

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### Rites for Retired Teacher Held Tuesday, Jan. 8

A retired public school teacher who had taught in the local schools more than 40 years, Mrs. Carrie Martin, age 66, 4140 Cornelius avenue died at her home Saturday, Jan. 5. The funeral was held in the Patton Funeral Home Tuesday, Jan. 8. The burial was in Crown Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Martin was the wife of Samuel Martin, a member of the Martin Brothers work garment manufacturing firm on Indiana avenue in this city.

She was born at Clemmons, N. C. and had lived here since early childhood. She attended local public schools and held A. B. and M. S. degrees from Butler University.

She began her school teaching career at School No. 24 and also taught at Schools 23, 26, 37, 56, 83 and 87. She retired about four years ago after serving in the school system 41 years.

She was a member of Simpson Methodist church and had served as Sunday School superintendent and a teacher in the church. She was a charter member of the Wesleyan Service Guild of the church and organized the guild's choir.

Survivors include her husband, Samuel Martin and a sister, Mrs. Sarah Perry, East St. Louis, Ill.

### Juvenile Court Has Problem In 2 Delinquent Teen-Agers

What's to be done with two teen-age boys who did a neat job of stealing a large sum of money from a community merchant appears to be a problem for authorities that isn't a problem at all.

Juvenile Court Judge Joseph O. Hoffman has the case on his calendar to be heard after "further investigation," but speculation among court attaches represents the very essence of a negative official attitude toward a pressing social problem: juvenile delinquency and its containment and correction.

The judge will hear the evidence and social workers interested in the case express a guess he will place the erring youngsters on probation.

Since one boy is a first offender and the other has a record of only miscellaneous minor infractions, it is asked in a spirit of total resignation:

"What else can the judge do?"

The implication is that author-



**N. Y. SOLDIER MARRIES JAPANESE MAIDEN:** Cpl. Philip Bridges, age 21, New York, and the former Akiko Karasawa, Tokyo, Japan were married in September of last year and plan to live in the U. S. A. after December of this year. Cpl. Bridges is now stationed at Yokohama, Japan and has been in the service four years. His bride, age 24, is with him at the Yokohama base.

### McCarthy's "Swiss Spy" Sues Him for \$100,000

WASHINGTON (ANP)—Charles E. Davis, Sen. Joseph McCarthy's (R. Wis.) Negro "spy" against the United States Department of State in Europe, has filed suit for \$100,000 against the Wisconsin senator.

Davis, whose home is Pasadena, Calif., charges in action filed in the U. S. district court in Washington that Sen. McCarthy broke a contract verbally agreed to Sept. 25, 1949, thus causing him embarrassment and difficulty in making a living.

His petition claims that the senator broke the agreement in November, 1950 when he was arrested by the Swiss government in Geneva, Switzerland. At this time, the suit charges, Sen. McCarthy denied that he knew

Sen. McCarthy is nationally known for his bitter campaigns against the State Department and his so-called anti-Communist fight against alleged Reds in the state department.

Commenting on the action, Sen. McCarthy wondered who could be "financing" Davis if he is "completely broke."

ities, psychoanalysts, psychologists, mentalists, mental therapists and associates together with advanced sociologists and criminologists are at a loss in this particular case to come up with a satisfactory remedy of any permanence.

These are the disturbing facts of the case:

Two brothers, 15 and 13 years of age, entered a hardware store the other day and asked a clerk for a large size window glass.

Asked if they had the money to pay, the older admitted he didn't have the amount, but said he would return after a trip home to see his mother.

The older boy returned and asked for a smaller size glass, and while the clerk was cutting it in the rear, pretended to use the telephone which was near a desk on which was kept the store's cash box.

Suddenly the boy blurted out:

"We don't want the glass, mister,"

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## Negro Federal Agents in Raids on Dope Peddlers

### Use of Dollar Power Urged By Noted Iowa Engineer

By CHARLES S. PRESTON

#### Leader of Guard Denies Edlin Was Forced to Resign

NEW ALBANY (ANP)—A regimental commander last week denied charges that a war hero was forced to resign because of his recommendation that Negroes be recruited into white units of the Indiana National Guard.

Capt. Robert T. Edlin, age 29, veteran of World War II, who single-handedly captured some 800 German soldiers, had stated that he had been asked to resign because of his suggestion that colored men be allowed to join the guard. Officially, action on his resignation was pending.

(Captain Edlin last week was named to the Recorder's Race Relations Honor Roll for 1951.—Editor.)

Col. Marvin J. Evans, commander of the 152nd Infantry Regiment, denied the "forced resignation" but would not comment further on the incident.

"Anything further I might say would be injurious to him," Colonel Evans said, "I don't want to do that, in view of his fine war record."

Captain Edlin said his letter concerning the recruiting of Negroes came back unanswered from the office of Brig. Gen. Robinson Hitecock, Indiana adjutant-general.

Colonel Evans said the only reason the letter was returned was that Captain Edlin had not sent it through National Guard channels.

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#### Officer Coates Named to Acting Detective's Rank



DET. SGT. CHESTER COATES

Patrolman Chester Coates, a comparative newcomer on the police force, was appointed acting detective sergeant by the Board of Safety, it was revealed in an announcement Wednesday that included sweeping reductions and promotions in the police department.

At the same time it was announced that Acting Detective Sergeant David Clark, veteran of more than a dozen years' service, was reduced to patrolman first grade. Rufus C. Kuykendall attended the board meeting for the first time in his capacity as assistant city attorney assigned to represent the Safety Board in all legal matters. It was the first time a Negro has represented the city in this important position.

He will also represent other municipal agencies under Safety Board supervision, which are: the bureau of air pollution, the traffic engineer, commissioner of buildings, municipal dog pound, game-well department, markets and refrigeration, weights and measures, police, fire, and police-and-fire radio departments.

#### Made High Grade

Mr. Coates joined the department April 15, 1947, and has received citations for meritorious service and loyalty to duty. He attained one of the highest grades

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The "power of the Almighty Dollar" should be used to gain influence in community affairs and combat discrimination, Archie A. Alexander, noted civil engineer, told the Monster Meeting at the at the Senate Avenue YMCA on Sunday.

Mr. Alexander spoke on "Straw for the Bricks of America." Head of the firm of Alexander & Re-pass, contracting engineers of Des Moines, Iowa, he was recently voted the most distinguished graduate of the University of Iowa. His firm has built many large construction projects in various states, including \$20 million worth of bridges in the District of Columbia.

Investment by Negro citizens in "some of every kind of business in the community" was strongly advocated by the speaker. He said a small group of persons in Des Moines have banded together to make investments in public utilities and other firms, and thus obtain "an entree to the employment policies of those companies."

The program has paid off with the employment of Negroes as telephone operators and in other skilled positions, he declared.

"Give to Worthy Causes"

Along with investment goes philanthropy. Mr. Alexander continued, urging his hearers to "give to worthy causes not as Negro citizens but as citizens."

He related that the Des Moines group made contributions to all hospitals in the city and gave \$3,000 to Drake University.

"This was perhaps a small amount, but soon thereafter Negro girls were admitted to the dormitories at Drake," he said. "And when the university officials wanted to know what to do about the Johnny Bright incident, they called us and asked us. I told them, 'Well, I don't see any way playing a team that'll try to kill some body.'"

It is essential "that we keep up our philanthropy instead of buying \$15,000 fur coats," he observed.

The argument that Negroes do not have enough money to invest was scouted by the engineer. "You can buy stock from \$50 up," he said. "There is a stock exchange in every good-sized city and the stocks of various enterprises are on sale without regard to color."

#### Praises Profession

Mr. Alexander welcomed young men to take up engineering, saying that there is an opportunity for Negroes in that profession. "In

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### Big City Dope Raids Net Many Negro Peddlers

CHICAGO (ANP)—Some 36 Negroes have been identified among the 500 persons arrested in raids by the federal narcotics bureau on dope peddlers in major cities throughout the country. Top arrest among them was Pvt. Billy Anderson, 22, son of radio comedian Eddie (Rochester) Anderson.

A roundup of the cities found 14 arrested in Chicago; 19 in Washington, D. C.; two in Memphis, Tenn.; two in Nashville, Tenn.; and one in Louisville, Ky., Baltimore, Md., and St. Louis, Mo., were among the major cities where no arrests were reported.

Many colored persons were among the agents who helped Harry J. Anslinger, federal narcotics commissioner, round up the peddlers of narcotics. It is known that a larger number of Negroes have been arrested but were not identified. For example, in New York of 58 persons arrested, some are known to be Negroes in Harlem.

#### Aimed At Peddlers

This particular drive by federal agents was directed at peddlers of narcotics rather than users. Chief purpose was to prevent further sale of dope to teen-agers

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### Wheelchair User Gas Stove Flame Victim

Mrs. Blanche Pearl Ewing, 66-year-old widow was burned to death in her wheelchair in the home in which she lived alone at 2206 Pleasant street early last Sunday morning.

Investigators of the coroner's office believe the woman, disabled through the loss of her right leg, had caused the sleeve of her bathrobe to be ignited by the flame from her gas stove as she was making coffee in the kitchen about 6 a.m.

As the fire spread almost instantly over her clothing, she worked the wheelchair to the back



MRS. BLANCHE EWING

door, screaming frantically for help.

Seeing the chair ablaze in the kitchen door as it cast its yellowish rays into the darkness before dawn, and hearing the arresting screams, Mrs. Louise Leake, 25, and her brother-in-law, John Leake, 30, neighbors living at 2207 Lexington avenue, grabbed the chair, wheeled it into the back yard sciousness in which she had lapsed proved futile.

Leake's brother, Warren Leake and other neighbors called police and firemen whose trained efforts to revive her from the unconsciousness into which he had lapsed proved futile.

Dr. Frederick Evans, deputy coroner

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### Wilson Loses Race to Head Gary City Council

GARY (Special)—Following a spirited battle in which Mayor Peter Mandich, in the first year of his administration, failed to expose his hand, John C. Kolarik was elected president of the Gary city council over Benjamin F. Wilson, midtown attorney. Both men are Democrats.

Wilson, vice-president of the council last year, lost the presidency during the final year of the old regime in the city council by a vote of five to four.

The Democratic members of the council are: David C. Mitchell (4th); Benjamin F. Wilson (5th); Aloise N. Wozniak (6th); and Terry C. Gray, John C. Kolarik and George Ferhat, all at large.

The Republican members are: A. W. Brown (1st); Harold W. Johnson (2nd); and Charles K. Hecker (3rd). The Negro members are Benjamin F. Wilson, Terry C. Gray and David C. Mitchell.

Over a week-end reports from the midtown area were that a truly powerful effort supported by Democratic County Chairman F. Griffith Rees would be brought to bear to make Wilson president of the council.

This support was supposed to

include a majority of the Democratic precinct committeemen and Negro civic leaders, church leaders and business people of the midtown area.

A third candidate for the council presidency, A. W. Brown, Republican, withdrew ahead of the actual balloting. Brown subsequently was elected vice-president of the council to succeed Wilson.

HALLIE HAS US COUNTING

Attacks Hallie Bryant has scored so many points this season that the newspapers are losing track.

One daily paper had him racking up 227 in 9 games, while another made it 217.

By the Recorder's count, Hallie netted 218 in those games for a 24.2 average.

All agreed that he was far ahead in the scoring race among local IHSAA teams, and that "Dill" Gardner was second with 141 points in 7 games for a 20.1 average.

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ATTACKS 65, LAFAYETTE 61  
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#### NEXT GAMES

ATTACKS AT DECATUR CENTRAL, JAN. 11  
TOURNEY AT TEACH, JAN. 17-18  
7:00 p.m. Thursday, Sacred Heart vs. Deaf School  
8:15 p.m. Thursday, Attacks vs. Manual  
8:15 p.m. Friday, championship game

## Bombing Victim's Wife In Mims, Fla. Case Dies

SANFORD, Fla. (ANP)—Mrs. Harriet Moore, 49, wife of Harry T. Moore, 46, Christmas night victim of an anti-Negro bombing, died in a hospital here last Thursday night, the second fatality in the dynamite attack.

Mrs. Moore left her hospital bed on New Year's Day to see the body of her husband. After viewing his body as it lay in state, Mrs. Moore, who had been improving, grew steadily worse.

Her attending physician, Dr. George H. Starke said the death was caused by a blood clot. She had been hospitalized since Christmas night when a bomb exploded under her bed after she and her husband, Florida NAACP leader,

had gone to sleep.

No new developments have been announced officially in the investigation of the incident although the Federal Bureau of Investigation and local authorities reportedly are studying the case.

In the meantime, innumerable protests of the bombing are being directed to President Truman, Gov. Fuller Warren of Florida, and to local authorities asking that something be done about anti-Negro violence in Florida.

Rewards totalling \$19,325 have been offered for the apprehension of the murder or murderers of the Moore's. They are headed by \$6,000, state of Florida announce-

ed by Gov. Warren; \$5,000, NAACP announced by Walter White, executive secretary.

Klan Denies Guilt

An unusual factor in this case is the stand of the usually vicious Ku Klux Klan. The Florida Klan burned a cross on New Year's Eve and denounced persons who accused it of the bombings. The KKK denied all connections with the incident.

Gov. Warren continued his blasts at Walter White, calling him "a paid professional agitator."

The two most prevalent theories on the cause of the bombing are that it is connected with recent bombings in Miami aimed at the

Negro Carver Village housing project, Jewish synagogues and Catholic parishes, and that the Miami incident and the Mims action were separate events, the Moore bombing being caused by Moore's militancy in the NAACP.

"Negro Haters Blamed"

The biggest supporter of the first view is the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith. In a report the League said it found no connection even between the bombing of Carver Village and Miami Jewish and Catholic religious institutions. It considered housing the cause of the project blasts, fanatics, the cause of the

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## All-South NAACP Meet Planned in Fla. Jan. 20

NEW YORK—A south-wide conference of branches of the NAACP spurred by the Christmas night bomb-killing of Harry T. Moore in Mims, Fla., has been called for January 20 in Jacksonville, Florida, Gloucester B. Current, director of NAACP branches, announced last week.

The response of southern branches to the conference call has been widespread and enthusiastic. Outraged by the Florida bombing, southern NAACP members have refused to be intimidated by this terrorist murder of one of their leaders, and throughout the South there have been expressions of indignation and renewed determination to continue the fight for full equality. The south-wide NAACP conference will map out an intensified civil rights campaign, Mr. Current reported.

Typical of the attitude of NAACP organizations in the South is the statement issued by the North Carolina State Conference of branches, which asserted that "the legal program against social and civil wrongs, political injustice, discrimination and segregation practices will be redoubled with a strong determination to win for all Americans equality and justice." Strong statements were also issued by the Birmingham, Ala.; Alexandria, La.; and New Orleans branches, all of which sent telegrams to the justice department seeking immediate and forthright action.

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## Phi Beta Sigmas Reelect Va. Medic To Presidency

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (ANP) — Speaking at the 37th anniversary convention of Phi Beta Sigma fraternity which met here during the Christmas holidays, Atty. Joseph A. Bailey, national vice-president of the fraternity, warned the organization that it must develop leaders if it intended to share in the good things of the changing south.

Some 160 delegates from 19 states and Nigeria, Africa, were represented at the convocation which met in Parker high school. The following national officers were reelected: Dr. Felix J. Brown, Richmond, Va., president; Atty. Joseph A. Bailey, New York City, vice-president; Dr. R. A. Billings, Atlanta, treasurer; R. A. Hester, Dallas, national director of Bigger and Better Business; Dr. John F. Lewis, Winston-Salem, national director of Education; Dr. George D. Flemming, Fort Worth, national director of Social Action; Dr. Sherman W. Savage, Jefferson City, national historian; and James A. "Billboard" Jackson, New York City, national commercial counselor.

Julius C. Simmons, Richmond, was elected national junior vice-president.

The three national officers reappointed by the national board were: William E. Doar, Jr., Brooklyn, N. Y., national executive secretary; Dr. C. V. Troup, president, Fort Valley State college, editor of the Crescent; and J. Benjamin Horton Jr., national director of public relations, Louisville, Ky.

## Bombing, Dies

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religious attacks, and anti-Negro sentiment, the reason for the Moore deaths.

Denouncing the blasts were: The National Council of Churches of Christ in the U.S.A., the American Civil Liberties Union, the United Furniture Workers of America, CIO, the United Electrical Radio and Machine Workers of America (UE), the National Conference of Christians and Jews, and the Progressive party. The Moores are survived by two daughters, Miss Annie Moore, teacher at Ocala, and Miss Evangeline Moore, Washington, D. C.; and Mr. Moore's mother, Mrs. Rosa M. Moore, 607 W. 14th St.



"FIRST LADY" PAID TRIBUTE IN PA.: Dr. Mary Bethune, one of the nation's best known women and president emerita of Bethune-Cookman College, was awarded recently the Ruby Cross of Malta in Philadelphia at the third annual Christmas Cotillion. Hopson R. Reynolds, member of the board of trustees of the college, presented the award.

## D. C. Teacher Sues Va. Bus Co. for \$40,000

WASHINGTON, D. C. (ANP)—A \$40,000 suit was slapped against the Virginia Stage Line bus company last week by a District school teacher claiming a bus driver threatened to call the police to make her sit in the back of the bus.

The teacher, Mrs. Elsie R. Shamwell, said she rode as far as Charlottesville, Va., on her way to North Carolina, when the driver made her give up her seat for a rear one after a white passenger entered. The company is one of the operators of busses in the National Trailways System.

Spokesmen for the NAACP said that most bus and railroad lines operating south from Washington still refuse Negroes to sit next to them, but no longer refuse to carry them if they refuse.

The U. S. Circuit court of Appeals in Virginia a year ago held enforced segregation by a railroad line unconstitutional. The Supreme Court in 1946 held it unconstitutional for segregation to be required by state law.

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any town with two or three thousand Negroes, you can get started as a builder," he said. "But you must have the ability to work with people; integrity and tenacity of purpose; a willingness to labor, and plain honesty." He also observed that "an engineer to become successful must be venturesome."

His wide experience has demonstrated that "whites will work with Negroes and for Negroes," he added.

He concluded his talk with an account of his trip to Jerusalem and the Holy Land. He said he examined the ancient walls of Jericho, "which were built of brick without straw, and thus crumbled at the sound waves from Joshua's trumpet, according to the Scripture."

Irvin L. Armstrong, head of the social science department at Attucks high school and brother Kappa Alpha Psi, introduced Mr. Alexander.

Dr. E. D. Alexander presided, and Rev. Emmet J. Dixon led devotions. Former State Sen. Robert L. Brokenburr took the collection.

Andrew W. Ramsey appealed for contributions to the NAACP to combat "the disease I choose to call Florida," in connection with the bombing outrages in that state.

**2 MILLION NEGRO VOTERS IN SOUTH PREDICTED IN '52**

NEW YORK—Speaking before the annual meeting of the NAACP here this week, Walter White, national executive secretary, predicted that two million Negro people will cast ballots in the South in the 1952 presidential election.

After the annual meeting the board of directors of the NAACP called for a nation-wide stoppage in protest against the recent bombing death of Harry T. Moore and his wife at Mims, Fla.

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## '51 Tuskegee Survey Reports One Lynching

TUSKEGEE, Ala.—The Department of Records and Research of Tuskegee Institute last week reported one lynching for the year of 1951 and a total of nine for the years of 1947-51.

The 1951 victim was Melvin Womack, 26-year-old man of Winter Garden, Orange County, Fla. He died March 31 in an Orlando hospital of wounds he received after being forced by masked men from his home.

The day following his seizure, he was found in an orange grove by an officer of the law. Taken to the hospital, he died two days later.

Reports state he did not know his assailants or why he had been kidnapped. It is thought the night riders lynched the wrong man.

The Groveland, Fla., Case Though technically not considered a lynching, this release feels called upon to direct attention to the Nov. 6 slaying of Samuel Shepherd and the critical wounding of Walter Lee Irvin, by an officer of the law near Umatilla, Fla. Handcuffed together, they were being removed from the Ralston State Prison to Tavares, Fla., for a new trial that had been granted them by the U. S. Supreme Court.

The two victims, accused with two others in July, 1949, of raping a 17-year-old white girl, had been sentenced to death. A third, a 19-year-old boy, was given life imprisonment. The fourth youth was shot to death shortly after the alleged crime by a posse.

Reversing the decision of the

## Civic, Labor, Church Leaders Protest to Truman on Bombing

WASHINGTON, D. C. (ANP)—Church, civic and union leaders throughout the nation flooded the wires last week with telegrams to President Truman and Florida and Federal leaders demanding action against the person or persons who bombed an NAACP leader to death in Mims, Fla., Christmas night.

Walter White, executive secretary of the NAACP, in New York announced a \$5,000 reward from his organization for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the guilty.

White also repeated his charges against Gov. Fuller Warren, claiming that the governor is allowing law and order to break down in Florida.

Man, Wife Slain The bombing causing the death of Harry T. Moore, 46, prominent NAACP leader and fighter for civil rights of Negroes in Florida, climaxed a series of dynamite blasts aimed at Negroes, Jews, and Catholics. Moore's wife also died later in a hospital.

Among the numerous protests of the bombing were the following: THE CIO through Secretary-Treasurer James B. Carey action of the CIO Committee to Abolish Discrimination:

To President Truman: "We strongly urge you to insist that the Federal government take action to run down the murderer of Harry T. Moore in Florida, and to call upon Congress to enact legislation that will put an end to the series of violent outrages against individuals and minority groups that have disgraced the country in recent weeks. . . . The people of the nation will back you to the limit in these endeavors."

Governor Warren: "The lawless outrage that has taken the lives of Harry T. Moore and his wife has shocked all decent people. . . . It is idle for you to talk about investigation through local law enforcement machinery when the nation knows that it does not function adequately in your state. . . . We call on you to use all the powers of your office to bring the perpetrators of this foul murder, the slayer of Samuel Shepherd (one of the Groveland Two), and the Miami Temple bombers to justice."

To Congress: "We demand that you institute at once in Congress such investigative and punitive measures as will bring to justice the murderer of Harry T. Moore in Florida."

THE CATHOLIC INTER-RACIAL COUNCIL at a forum: "It is our considered opinion

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in the police schools held last June.

A World War II veteran, he served in the Navy as the only colored recruit company commander at Great Lakes Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill., for 26 months.

He is a native of the city and attended schools here, in Ohio, Louisville, Ky., and Chicago.

He is married and a member of the Fraternal Order of Police, Indiana Lodge 104 of the Elks and Edward Gaillard Post 107, American Legion.

Mr. Clark was appointed a patrolman Sept. 13, 1938, and promoted to acting sergeant Jan. 16, 1948.

Other important changes among colored personnel in the police department are expected within the next three or four weeks, according to a reliable source.

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## Persian Temple To Hold Memorial Service Sunday

Rev. Hoy H. Thurman will deliver the Memorial Sermon for Persian Temple No. 46 (AEO-NMS) to be held Sunday, Jan. 13, at the First Baptist Church of North Indianapolis. The church is at 387 Udell street, west of North-western avenue. The public is invited to attend the services at 7:30 p.m.

Cornelius R. Richardson, Richmond attorney and grand master of Indiana Masons (Prince Hall affiliation), will deliver an address on Shrineism. Musical selections will be rendered by the Persian Temple Chanters and solos by Albert Strider and Mrs. Katherine Marshall. The invocation will be by Harrison Dawson and the roll call by Ralph McWilliams.

Members of the program committee include John M. Davis, Joseph Cavanaugh and James D. Stratten, master of ceremonies. Robert R. Carpenter is chairman and Charles H. Allen co-chairman. Members of the Persian Temple divan include Grady Hinkle, illustrious potentate; John Motley, chief rabban; Milton Walden, assistant rabban; Benjamin H. Dawson, high priest and prophet; Curtis Porter, oriental guide; Alexander M. Neal, order guard; Ralph McWilliams, recorder; and Robert Chenauff, treasurer.

Other members of the divan include Thomas Colbert, marshal, and Clarence Smith, deputy of oasis. Milton Walden is also captain of patrol.

## Omega Officers For '52 Installed At Club Home

Officers for 1952 of Zeta Phi chapter of the Omega Psi Phi fraternity were installed last Friday evening at the chapter house, 2044 N. Capitol avenue. Harry Pettie was installed as basileus.

Other officers installed included: Sanford J. Ramsey, vice-basileus; J. Arthur Wake, keeper of records and seal; Fred A. Parker, keeper of finance; Thomas Sleet, keeper of peace; and Cary D. Jacobs, chapter editor.

Officers were installed by the outgoing basileus, Sherman Polley.

The 1952 program among other features will include a scholarship for a graduate of Attucks high school; annual banquet, picnic at Fox Lake and the formal fall dance.

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## East St. Louis Lawyer Reelected by Kappas

"Replace hell-raising with constructive efforts," was the message directed to members and chapters of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity by its Grand Chapter which closed its 41st annual meeting here Saturday after reelecting Atty. Frank M. Summers, East St. Louis, Ill., as grand polemarch.

"Something more than hell-raising" was a definite tone of the deliberations. This sentiment was later formulated for the gathering by Dr. Martin D. Jenkins, president, Morgan State College, Baltimore, who contrastingly examined the practices and objectives of Greek-letter chapters against the programs and objectives of an educational institution.

As a fraternity member himself, Dr. Jenkins found much good in associations of young college people but, as a college president, he also had much to deplore.

"The typical fraternity or sorority chapter does not contribute to, but tears down, what a college is trying to do," Dr. Jenkins asserted.

He indicated "too much hell-week and hell-raising" as against the interests of a college program—since most students' grades decline while they are being rushed into fraternity or sorority membership.

He also deplored the lack of interest in things cultural and intellectual by Greek-letter organizations and the too great occupation with campus politics even to the extent of stuffing ballot boxes.

**Offers Constructive Program**  
Dr. Jenkins made a plea and offered a program for "constructive equivalents" for the traditional Greek-letter practices. Among other things, Dr. Jenkins made these propositions, which were later adopted by the Grand Chapter:

1. That each chapter help to achieve the aims and objectives of its college;
2. That a definite place be found in chapter programs for discussion of subjects of culture, of philosophy, and civic advancement, and for presenting to the student body outstanding or promising persons of achievement;
3. That each chapter establish scholarships to help or reward needy or outstanding students;
4. That each chapter provide a system for honorably helping students who are overcome by deficiencies in studies or personality, in order that those who can profit from help may have it;
5. That each chapter take the lead in using campus politics for general political education, in order that students may be in better position to become voters and citizens in later years;
6. That each chapter replace hell-week and hell-raising by acts of constructive social service such as serving in hospitals, enrolling members in the NAACP, selling anti-tuberculosis seals, seeing that voters are registered, or cleaning up either campus or some community building or playground.

### Canady Also Heard

Dr. Jenkins spoke before the annual closed banquet of the Grand Chapter. At the annual public meeting Wednesday evening, Dr. Herman G. Canady, professor of psychology at West Virginia State College, called for more serious application of Negroes to a demonstration that "there is no such thing as race, no pure 'races,' and that no groups of people are by nature more superior or more inferior than other groups."

"No race is the sole, or even the chief producer of geniuses or idiots," Dr. Canady continued. "Individual babies are born with differing capacities; some are superior to others. But between races there is no corresponding difference in abilities."

### Appeals to Truman

Kappa Alpha Psi fraternity passed a number of resolutions of public interest including a demand on President Truman to use the federal power to protect the lives and property of Negro and Jewish-Americans being violated in Florida through bombings and killings. Affiliation with the American Council on Human Rights was voted.

On the social side, the conclave made its bow on Dec. 26, with the annual open formal dance. A Pan-Hellenic complimentary formal followed Thursday evening, the closed banquet and a cabaret party Friday, and the closed prom Saturday.

There was also a program for visiting wives of Kappa men, including the annual meeting of the National Silhouettes, made up of the wives. The Silhouettes' social program included a card party Thursday, a coffee hour and a closed dinner Friday, and an egg-nog sip on Saturday.

### Officers Elected

Besides Atty. Summer, reelected as national president, other officers were James T. Hawkins, Durham, N.C., senior grand vice-polemarch; William White, Columbus, O., junior grand vice-polemarch; Dr. J. Ernest Wilkins, Jr., White Plains, N.Y., grand keeper of records and exchequer; Dr. Guy L. Grant, Indianapolis, historian; Louis Stokes, Cleveland, grand strategist; and Joseph Jenkins, Evanston, Ill., lieutenant strategist. Four members were elected to grand board of directors. They were Dr. Ezra D. Alexander, Indianapolis; Dr. Cecil Lewis, Danville, Ill.; W. Dickerson Donnelly, Nashville, Tenn.; and James T. Carter, Washington, D.C.

Mrs. Mary Dixon, Detroit, was elected president of the National

Silhouettes, succeeding Dr. Evelyn Payne, Brooklyn physician, who completed four years and could not be reelected.

Among local men registering for the convention were Dannie Vernon Adams, Ezra Dee Alexander, Ezra D. Alexander Jr., Marshall Joe Anthony, Irvan Armstrong, Elmer Ward Arnold, Lionel F. Artis, Melvin Scott Baird Jr., Warren Randall Betty, Raymond M. Baird, Mark D. Batties, Walter D. Bean, Welton Alexander Beverly, Cleo W. Blackburn, Robert Lee Brockenburr, Otis Ralph Bryant Sr., Arthur Loyd Carter Sr., Patrick E. Chavis Jr., and Frank Edmond Chowning.

Also Alfred M. Clay, James E. Compton, Earnest V. Davis, Ellis J. Diggs, F. E. DeFrantz, Fabun Edward DeFrantz Jr., Herbert Joseph Dodson, Maurice Emerson Edelen, Frederick H. Evans, Sea H. Ferguson, William T. Fountroy, Allen Lee Gibson, Guy L. Grant, Charles L. Guess, Frederick Douglas Haselwood, Frank Holloway, Carl Donald Hughes, George D. Keno, Robert H. King Jr., Rufus Calvin Kuykendall, and Johnnie Morris Landrum.

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Also James Leon Simms, Leroy Arnett Sharpe, Crowell W. Shelton, Robert H. Simms, James Louis Simpson, Greenville Smith, Jacques Norman Sneed, John N. Southern, Albert C. Spurlock, John J. Street, William Frank Stafford, Lloyd M. Taylor, William Andrew Taylor, William Wesley Walker, Charles T. Watkins, Charles William Wheeler, Joseph Castleton Williams, and Robert Williams.

The host of other hostesses registering included Edward Watson Jr., Evansville; John Harrison Driver, Leon Homer Reed, William McKinley Taylor, James Sylvester Smith, and Leslie J. White, Bloomington; Arthur Boyd Winn, Kokomo; James Tinsley Smith, New August; Don Fritz Bailey and Rex Hylan Bailey, New Castle; Bruce Rolland Avery; and Lewis Harper Anderson, William A. Edwards, and Marvin L. Shelton, Terre Haute.

## OBITUARY

### Anthony Jenkins

Funeral services for Anthony Jenkins, age 42, were held at the Jacobs Brothers West Side Chapel. The burial was in New Crown cemetery. He died in the Marion County Sanatorium at Sunnyside Wednesday, Jan. 5.

He was born at Oakville, Ga., and had lived here 31 years. He was a hod carrier and worked for the Wilhelm Construction Company.

Survivors include a son, Anthony Jenkins, Jr.; four sisters, Mrs. Essie Spurling, Mrs. Elvora Ray, Mrs. Mattie Jenkins and Miss Middle Jenkins and a brother, Lloyd Jenkins.

### Carrie Vance

Funeral services for Mrs. Carrie Vance, age 63, 402 Smith street, were held at the Jacobs Brothers West Side Chapel, Monday, Dec. 31. The burial was in New Crown cemetery. She died at her home Friday, Dec. 28.

She was born at Oldham, Ky., and had lived here 14 years. She was a member of Ebenezer Baptist.

Survivors include three sons, Wilbert Vance and Rev. Richard E. Vance, city and Rev. Charles Vance, Cleveland; a sister, Mrs. Ida Stallard, Louisville, Ky., and four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

### Maude E. Cooper

Funeral services for Mrs. Maude E. Cooper, age 51, 2101 Boulevard place, were held Wednesday, Jan. 2, at Rockport. The burial was in Sunset Cemetery at Rockport. She died Friday, Dec. 28, in the Robert W. Long Hospital.

She was born at Rockport and had lived here a short time. Survivors include her husband, Charles Cooper, Terre Haute; a son, Paul L. Gill, city; two sisters, Mrs. Cora McCrayer, city, and Mrs. Effie Hartwell, Rockport, and five brothers, William, Walter, Lewis and Mason McCrayer, Rockport, and Edward McCrayer, Cincinnati.

### John W. Thompkins

Funeral services for John W. Thompkins, age 59, 106 W. 11th street, were held at the Peoples Funeral Home Monday, Jan. 7. The burial was in Floral Park cemetery. He died at his home Friday, Jan. 4.

He was a native of Lynchburg, Va., and had lived here since 1921. He was a member of the Corinthian Baptist Church and was an employee of the Hook Drug Company.

Survivors include a sister, Mrs. Mattie Hunt, Pittsburgh, and a brother, James Thompkins.

## Mixed TV Shows Face Wrath Of Talmadge

ATLANTA, Ga. (ANP)—Colored stars appearing on national television shows, reaching the south, gave rise to stormy protests by Gov. Herman Talmadge of Georgia last week who charged that several large networks are violating "the spirit of the south's segregation laws."

In an editorial column of his political newspaper, The Statesman, Talmadge singled out the Arthur Godfrey, Ken Murray, and Clifton Fadiman shows as targets for criticism.

Talmadge said if those shows were brought south to appear on stage, they would be prohibited by law. These shows, Talmadge said, are not presented in good taste and good showmanship that should govern productions.

Blasting the three programs as "in bad taste," he mentioned the Mariners, a quartet composed of two Negroes and two whites featured on Arthur Godfrey's program. Talmadge added that "Negro men frequently are seen mixed up in the dancing ensembles in juxtaposition to scantily clad white females."

He wrote that the Ken Murray Christmas show presented white and Negro children together in a group dance and a Fadiman show brought a Negro performer into close conversation with a white woman stage star and they exchanged badinage on a purely social, equal basis.

Talmadge suggested action should be taken to arouse the sentiment of the southern members of Congress. He concluded that "good taste alone should prevent such a situation," but said if the television producers "do not have this good taste, then the great millions of people can turn their own resentment individually toward the products, which sponsor such shows."

### NAACP BRANCHES IN VA. PLAN PROTEST ON FLA. BOMBINGS

RICHMOND, Va. (ANP)—Several branches of the NAACP in various sections of Virginia are planning protest meetings and silent marches in commemoration of the bomb-murder of Harry T. Moore on Christmas night at Mims, Fla., and Mrs. Moore's death on Jan. 3. The Richmond branch under the direction of Dr. J. M. Tinsley, local and state NAACP president, is planning a mass meeting in response to a nationwide request made to branches several days ago by Walter White, executive secretary of the NAACP.



SHOWN ABOVE are the Brown Twins . . . "Vivi" and "Hibby" . . . Sole owners of the Brown Twins Cafe, 449 W. 125th st., New York, with 30-foot bar, and cocktail lounge. The spot has a musical decor of sharps and flats, with plastic and leather fixtures in fascinating shades of canary and magenta and black and gold.

### Robert L. Springer To Address PTA

Robert L. Springer, co-ordinator of the elementary educational service section of the city schools, will be speaker at the regular

monthly meeting of the PTA of School No. 36 next Wednesday night at 7:30. The mothers' chorus will sing.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hayes is president of the PTA, and Mrs. Ruby Langford is principal of the school.

## "Strong Man" Rips Up Roofs In Baltimore

BALTIMORE, Md. (ANP)—Albert J. Tibbs, was cut down by a policeman's bullet last week after he had launched a one-man campaign of destruction.

The powerfully built, 26-year-old Negro never did explain before his death why he embarked upon such an escapade during which he dashed across rooftops, ripping apart 11 chimneys, smashing nine skylights and terrorizing his West Baltimore neighbors.

Within 30 minutes the madman crashed through one of the skylights, then proceeded to demolish two bedrooms of furniture and tear out plumbing fixtures.

When police arrived at the littered, flooded house to subdue him, he pummeled them with a barrage of debris, throwing in a radio for good measure.

Patrolman John Popp, who was injured in the face and shoulder, cut Tibbs down with a burst from

## The Indianapolis Recorder, Jan. 12, 1952—3 FLA. MURDERER CHARGES PLOT OF ESCAPE TO GROVELAND PAIR

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. (ANP)—A white murderer was saved from the electric chair last week when he claimed that he heard the Groveland two-shot Nov. 6 by Sheriff Willis McCall of Lake county—plot their escape from the sheriff.

Given a reprieve for this claim Merlin James Lieby was scheduled to die for a 1949 murder. Gov. Fuller Warren of Florida granted an unlimited stay of execution at the request of Sheriff McCall by letter.

Only Walter Lee Irvin is alive, his revolver. The man suffered wounds in the head and hip.

According to Popp, the raging man violently resisted efforts to take him to a hospital. He died shortly after being admitted, but beforehand told his captors, "I don't know why I did it."

with Samuel Shepherd dead as a result of the sheriff's shooting on a lonely Florida road. He shot the two men while transporting them from the county jail to Tavares, Fla. for a new trial.

The Groveland Four were accused of a 1949 rape of a white woman. Irvin is the last of an original Groveland Four with a chance for freedom. Two are dead, and one is serving a life sentence in prison. Irvin and Shepherd had been granted a new trial through action by the U. S. Supreme court.

Sheriff McCall was cleared by a coroner's jury of criminal intent in his shooting of Irvin and Shepherd. The FBI, however, is still investigating the shooting.

Lieby and the Groveland Two were held in the State Prison Farm at Ralston. In that prison, according to the sheriff, he overheard the Negroes plot their escape.

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## Just For Women

By ELIZABETH RHEA

## "Just For Women" Columnist Lists City's Ten Best Dressed

Every conceivable committee and group has issued statements listing their versions of the best-dressed women of the world, in America, and in certain cities. Since clothes are the major interest of most women, the persons whose names appear on the lists are always of interest.

Being "best-dressed" among a group is always controversial and makes conversation among women. However, we all agree that being "best-dressed" is not being flashy, gaudy, over-dressed, or wearing the wrong type of garb for a given occasion.

Of interest to most of us, is that the list of the best-dressed women in the world does not have one head of hair subjected to the "poodle cut." Nor do these women wear cock all dresses and shoes when downtown shopping.

We had many candidates for Indianapolis's best dressed women, but many of us are guilty of over-dressing, a fault which is all too easily found in some women who try to dress well.

A list of ten or twelve would be difficult, but surely most women will agree with me in listing Mrs. Maurice Neisler Sr., Mrs. Oliver Martin, Miss Annetta Clayton, Mrs. Rudolph Gardner, Mrs. Gee-Ge Washington, and Mrs. Helen Brawley as being among the most tastefully dressed of our women.

Mrs. Neisler is the tall, willowy matron who wears her clothes to perfection. Designing some of her own clothes, she has a natural flair for selecting the style which complements her picture hats, bouffant gowns, flying panels, and full skirts were made for her.

Mrs. Martin is the example of what the best-dressed business woman should wear. She specializes in large, attractive accessories with soft dresses and suits rich in detail, yet simple without

being plain.

Miss Clayton is smooth, polished and soignée in her appearance. She is the tailored type and wears soft tailored clothes with a dash which she has acquired through careful study of herself.

Mrs. Brawley is the tailored type also, but wears hard, clean-cut lines in her clothes and is a master at mixing and matching separates.

Mrs. Gardner emphasizes her prettiness with elegance. All her clothes make a beautiful frame for her. Because she is pretty, she dresses with little jewelry or frills. Elegant simplicity is all she needs to offset her type.

Mrs. Washington is the glamour girl of the group and is always smart; most of her clothes are suits complemented with exquisite jewelry. Meticulous grooming and a flair for the odd and exotic are evident in her appearance.

Honorable mention should go to Mrs. Hobson Zeigler, Miss Edwina Bell, and Miss Frances Hicks, who has gone to Washington for permanent residence.

Each year is a challenge to the woman who likes clothes and fashion. Watch yourself and see who makes the list for 1952.

Why not make this resolution: I shall show more interest in my appearance and try to select becoming as well as appropriate items for my wardrobe.

## Price-Fisher Vows Exchanged In Marion Church Ceremony

MARION—The marriage of Miss Catherine Fisher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Fisher, 3438 South Torrence street, and Louis Price, son of Mrs. Nellie Price, 3609 South Harmon street, was performed at 8 p. m. on Christmas Eve in Second Baptist Church.

Rev. J. R. Bradley, pastor, performed the double-ring ceremony before the altar banked with palms and two seven-branch candelabra.

Preceding the ceremony, a prelude of bridal selections was presented by Miss Rowena Gulliford, Miss Martina Gulliford sang "At Dawning" and "I Love You Truly."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of ice-blue satin. The fitted bodice was accented with matching satin rosebuds and seed pearls and a yoke of nylon lace. The long sleeves tapered into bridal puffs, and the full gathered skirt fell into a cathedral train.

She carried an arm bouquet of red roses.

Miss Pauline Jones, maid of honor, wore a gown of pink taffeta and carried an arrangement of yellow carnations.

Bridesmaids were the Misses Sarah and Ermalee Fisher, sisters of the bride, and Miss Harriett Head. They wore identical gowns of Nile green aqua, and yellow taffeta styled like that of the bride or attendant. Each carried a colonial bouquet of white and pink carnations and red roses.

James Stewart served as best man, and ushers were Frank Pate, Xen Stewart, and Howard Fisher.

Mrs. Fisher wore a brown gabardine suit with green and brown accessories and a corsage of orange rosebuds for her daughter's marriage, while the mother of the bridegroom selected a navy gab-

ardine suit with black accessories and a corsage of orange chrysanthemums.

The couple were honored with a reception in the church annex immediately following the ceremony.

COMMUNITY SERVICE will meet with Miss Charity Bolden, 1001 West New York street, next Tuesday.

FIDELIS met with Mrs. Audrey Carter, 2437 Shriver avenue. Prizes were won by Mesdames Florence Bush, Margaret Vanlier and Helen Veal. Next meeting will be with Mrs. Rosamond Cranlie, 2809 Shriver avenue.

GIRLS PROGRESSIVE TWELVE met with Mrs. M. Springfield last Thursday night, with Mrs. H. Burnside as hostess. The next meeting will be with Mrs. A. Caldwell, 849 Eugene street.

J. S. S. W. met with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Sanders, 344 Northern avenue. The house was decorated in keeping with the holiday season. Plans were made for a groundhog party to be given February 2. Next meeting will be with Mr. and Mrs. W. Morton, 402 West 39th street.

MYSTIC KREWE has made plans for an active year. Business contacts may be made with the business manager, Mrs. Georgia McElroy, 2721 North Keystone avenue.

PHYLLIS WHEATLEY Embroidery met with Mrs. Grace Wilson, 2532 Highland place. Next week's meeting will be with Miss Bessie Carr, 822 East Washington street.

SECRET TEN will have their first meeting of the year Friday with Mrs. Connie Williams, 649 Blake street.

SOCIAL HOUR will meet with Mrs. Etta Brown, 1857 Boulevard place. The club's Christmas dinner was held in the home of Mrs. Georgia Davis, 2037 Highland place.

SOUTHSIDE FLORAL had its Christmas party in the home of Mrs. A. Redmon. Guests were entertained, and Mrs. Louise Vance was accepted as a member.

THURMAN WCTU will meet with Mrs. Rebecca Stith, 2230 Miller street, next Sunday.

T. S. C. GIRLS met with Miss Willie Dee Mills. Prizes were won by Mesdames Celeste McKinney, Bridie Cole and Lillian Holt. Mrs. McKinney will be next hostess at 1202 North Capitol avenue, Building 4.

HODGES-GILBERT RITES ANNOUNCED

Mrs. Carley Gilbert, 823 West 10th street, announces the marriage of her daughter, Anna Mae, to Sylvester Hodges Jr., which took place on December 29 at 8:30 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Johnson, 1711 Northwestern avenue. Rev. C. Henry Bell officiated. A reception followed in the Ferguson Hotel.

Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Hodges Sr., Campbellville, Ky.

The couple, both residents of this city, will reside at 1711 Northwestern avenue, apartment 1.

SEYMOUR HOME SCENE OF WEDDING

SEYMOUR—Miss Thelma Wilson, Sumter, S. C., and Clarence Irvin Shelton, of this city, were united in marriage in the home of his grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. Edgar P. Maddex, last Saturday afternoon at 4, with Rev. Maddex officiating.

The bride wore a powder blue ballerina length dress and carried white pom-poms. The bridesmaid and best man were cousins of the groom, Mrs. Ada Colbert and William Shelton, North Vernon.

Only members of the immediate families and a few close friends were present at the ceremony.

Both bride and groom are students at Wilberforce university.

## Social Scene

## Albertine Johnson Entertains Forty Women At Lavish Canary Cottage Luncheon Saturday

By RICHARD C. HENDERSON



HAMPTON INSTITUTE CHOIR OF CBS. One of the nation's top singing groups, Hampton Institute Choir provided Christmas singing Yuletide carols over a nationwide CBS radio hookup Dec. 17. The 136-voice choir is directed by Henry N. Switten. The broadcast was from Ogdin Hall on the Hampton campus. Shown above is a section of the choir. (ANP)

## Nationally Known Organist To Be Heard Here February 12

One of the recognized top organists of the country will be heard in this city on February 12 at 8:15 p. m. in Christ Episcopal Church, when Orrin Clayton Sutherland II, nationally known organist and distinguished musician, will be heard here under auspices of the Indianapolis Music Promoters.

Mr. Sutherland, the son of an Episcopal priest, is conductor of the Lincoln University glee club and associate professor of music at Lincoln University, Pennsylvania.

A renowned choral conductor, he has led the Florida A. and M. concert choir, the Bennett College all-girl choir, and the Dillard University concert choir to fame and acclaim in the concert hall and on the air.

The young organist has many important "firsts" to his credit, among them being the first Negro recitalist at an American Guild of Organists convention, the first Negro instrumentalist as guest artist for a major southern symphony orchestra (New Orleans, 1945), first Negro recitalist on the University of Chicago summer series, and the first Negro recitalist on a CBS network program.

Mr. Sutherland is also executive secretary of the National Association of Negro Musicians, acting president of the Association of Music Teachers in Negro Schools, and is listed in "Who's Who in the South," "Who's Who in Music," "Who's Who in Colored America," and "The Negro Year Book, 1947."

He took his undergraduate degree at Western Reserve University in Cleveland and did graduate work at Columbia University and the Juilliard School of Music in New York. He has studied organ with such notables as Edwin Arthur Kraft, Carl Weinrich, Seth Bingham, and Lillian Carpenter, and music history and musicology at Columbia with Paul Lang and with Oliver Strunk at Princeton.



VISITING MOTHER. Pfc. Albert Rose, stationed at Houston, Tex., is spending his furlough visiting his mother, Mrs. Lillian Rose, 828 Blake street, and friends. Pfc. Rose, a graduate of Crispus Attucks high school and formerly an employee of The Recorder, has been in the service 16 months. Before entering the service, he was an active member of the choir of St. Philip's Episcopal Church. He will return to camp January 15.

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## Women's Federated Club News

By CLARA PHILLIPS

The Household Arts club was entertained in the home of Mrs. Thelma Brown, 2324 Columbia avenue. The Christmas party was also held there, and gifts were exchanged. Mrs. Eliza Collier, 2330 Bellefontaine street, will be hostess on the January meeting.

The Roschub club will hold its regular meeting next Wednesday night at 8 in the home of Mrs. Edna Taylor, 534 West 29th street.

Members of the Colonial Macons club enjoyed a lovely Christmas party on Friday night, December 28, with secret gift gifts being exchanged. Each guest also received a gift. Miss Veanie Dobins is president of the club, and Mrs. Mattie Rice is reporter.

The Woman's Council will meet Monday, January 21, in the home of Mrs. Alma Dabner, 1133 North street, with Mrs. W. B. Win- chester as hostess. Mrs. Blanche Cross is president, and Mrs. M. B. McKinney is reporter.

The American Beauty club members enjoyed a three-course turkey dinner in celebration of Christmas, with about 80 members and guests present in the club home. Gifts were exchanged, and a special program was presented, featuring a Christmas play and carols. Mrs. Elizabeth Heard, 2034 North Capitol avenue, will be hostess on January 18, when Mrs. Johnnie Taylor will be guest speaker. Mrs. Lottie Stith is president, and Mrs. Lida Smith is reporter.

The Lend-A-Hand club met with Mrs. Irene Brown, in the absence of Mrs. Clara Phillips, president. Mrs. Fannie Bartlett was in charge. Mrs. Phillips was called to Goshort by the death of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Sarah Phillips.

Mesdames Clara Hill and Margaret Webb will be hostesses to the January meeting of the Indianapolis Council of Negro Women in the home of Mrs. Hill, 2627 North Capitol avenue. It was announced this week.

The Crispus Attucks and Dunbar branch libraries will be given the sixteenth anniversary yearbook of the National Council of Negro Women, and plans will be completed for further service to the local veterans' hospitals.

The last council meeting, held in the home of Mrs. Priscilla Dean Lewis with Mrs. Josephine Baker as co-hostess, took the form of a party, with an exchange of presents. A special program of music was rendered by a group of young people from Mt. Paran Baptist Church, and Mrs. Mary Cobb told a series of stories.

Favorable comments, it is reported, have been received regarding the interview on WFBM-TV in which the president, Mrs. H. H. Peoples, and Mrs. Henrine Ward Banks appeared as representatives of the local council in observance of the national Founders Day.

Former Resident Visits In City

Arthur Earl, a former resident of this city now living in Chicago, was breakfast guest on Christmas morning of Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Lyons.

Also guests were Messrs. and Mesdames Lee Anderson, David Middleton, M. Haywood, and Ike Trimble.

The festive spirit which made the past holiday season one of the most enjoyable in recent years carried over to keep everyone in a holiday mood last Saturday afternoon, when Miss Albertine Johnson entertained at luncheon in the Canary Cottage honoring her mother, Mrs. Albert W. Johnson, and Mrs. Thomas Scott, Lynchburg, Va., mother of Mrs. Cleo Blackburn.

The women come from the same section of the country, Mrs. Johnson being a former resident of Alexandria, Va., and Washington, D.C., where her husband, the late Dr. A. W. Johnson, was a leading physician.

Also honored were women who, along with Miss Johnson, had been hostesses at the Buckingham party given recently in honor of Miss Rose Ella King. They included Mesdames Lionel F. Artis, Otis R. Bryant, O. A. Johnson, J. Robert Lawson, John Norrel, J. P. Wallace, Cleo Blackburn, Andrew Ramsey, Edwin D. Moten, Russell A. Lane, and Henry A. Fleming.

Following a delicious steak dinner, the guests enjoyed games, and beautiful gifts were awarded the lucky winners.

Miss Johnson's costume of gray with silver accessories was complemented by a corsage of white roses sent by Mrs. DeWitt Jones.

The guest list included Mesdames Paul A. Batties, Henry L. Greer, Lenver N. Rankin, Eschol McCain, Pat Powell, James Oliver Martin, Joel Overstreet, William T. Ray, Leland V. Bailey, Charles B. Cox, William L. King, Paul King, Maurice E. Neisler, Mark Batties, George Dixon, J. Wesley Hall, Fred C. Augusta, Daugherty Moore, Mayme L. Batties, and Emma Martin.

Also present were the Misses Rose Ella King, Hazel Alexander, and Ollie Middleton.

Out-of-town guests were Mrs. Marian Stockell, Detroit, here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Mark Batties, for the week, and Mrs. Sterling McElwaine, Lafayette.

Mrs. J. Wesley Hall, by the way, entertained at a very beautiful buffet supper in honor of Mrs. McElwaine last week.

Guests then were Mesdames W. L. G. King, John Martin, B. S. Gordon, George L. Hayes, John R. Norrel, Robert L. Brockenburr, H. L. Hummons, James McNeil, Walter Maddux, George L. Goshort, Daugherty Moore, Cleo Blackburn, and Maurice Neisler and the Misses Annie Pritchett, Albertine Johnson, and Rose Ella King.

Bridge prizes were won by Mesdames McNeil, Brockenburr, and Moore and Miss King. Mesdames Moore and Greer presented gifts to the guest of honor.

Members of the Ten Penny club enjoyed their New Year's Eve party in the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. Leon Simms. Members and their husbands present were Drs. and Mesdames Edward P. Thomas and J. L. Simms and Messrs. and Mesdames Ted Phillips, Earl Van Horn, Bertram Gardner, Nathaniel Scott, Oscar Reeder, Alonzo Daniels, William Elliott, and Carl Hughes.

Guests of the club were Messrs. and Mesdames Louis Simpson, Alfred Cardwell, Frank Moore, Walter Bean, Grant Hawkins, Harry Pettie, Walter Coleman, Charles Hicks, and M. Langford.

The club met last Thursday night in the home of Mrs. Elliott and elected as officers Mesdames Hope Phillips, president; Eunice Van Horn, vice-president; Willie Gardner, corresponding secretary; Bernice Scott, recording secretary; Naomi Reeder, financial secretary; Edna Simms, treasurer; and Millie Larson Daniels, reporter. Also members are Mesdames Ruby Thomas, Edwina Elliott, and Louise Hughes.

Plans are being made for the annual card party, to be held this year in Ayres' auditorium on February 23.

A particularly lovely affair on New Year's Day was the annual open house of Mr. and Mrs. Leland V. Bailey, only this year a beautifully redecorated house greeted the guests and formed the setting.

The traditional egg nog was served along with Christmas cookies, nuts, and mince, on a table made attractive with a maroon and silver cloth and silver candelabra.

Pointing up the table decoration was an arrangement of gold flower pots and Christmas balls made to resemble a glittering cornucopia.

Honored guest was Mrs. Bailey's sister, Mrs. Orrie Young, Detroit, in the city for the holiday.

Among those enjoying the Bailey hospitality were Messrs. and Mesdames Bruce Mason, Otis R. Bryant, Robert L. Brockenburr, Howard Gilmore, George J. Thompson, Levi Conn, Eschol McCain, Marcus C. Stewart, John Driver, Richard D. Hampton, Horace Page, Herbert Martin, and Larry Ladson. Mesdames Clarence Baxter, John Norrel, Walter Hall, L. A. Lewis, Hazel Keeble, Beulah Stockton, and Lavinia Toles, the Misses Pansy Clay, Doris McCoy, Hazel Alexander, and Albertine Johnson, and Messrs. Arthur Dodson, George I. Temple, J. Wallace Hall, Lafayette Turner, and M. Moore.

Mrs. Mason and Miss Alexander assisted the hostess.

Members of the La Plus Exceptionnelle club and their husbands enjoyed a formal dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Watson as part of their Christmas festivities.

The Christmas decorations struck a new note—the living room was decorated with beautiful Christmas ornaments with a huge tree at center of attraction. Instead of the traditional holly wreath or spray of evergreens, the center of the table was decorated with white carnations embedded in holly and mistletoe.

A four-course dinner was served. Each wife received a corsage of roses, and gifts were exchanged, music and games being enjoyed throughout the evening.

Men responsible for the enjoyable affair were Messrs. Reggie Avington, Bernard Brent, Charles Cantrell, John Chetman, Carlisle Hughes, Robert Miller, Ira Thomas, and John Watson.

An event of note on the holiday calendar was the party given Christmas Eve by Mr. and Mrs. Bernard A. Brown, 3850 North 38th street, who had a large and elegant Christmas tree, which was prettily decorated in the Yuletide motif. As guests entered, they were greeted by a host or hostess and signed their names in the red leather guest book. On the table by the guest book was a large cigarette Christmas tree, and each person received cigarettes as favors.

The orchestra pit was decorated with a large Santa whose light shone over the entire place. Upstairs in the lounge, Christmas carols were being sung.

In the downstairs dining room the centerpiece was a gold birdcage enclosing two gold lovebirds. On each side of the cage were two large green candles in gold holders, and at the ends of the table were two punchbowls embedded in holly and evergreen. Champagne was served to all.

During intermission Helen Hallums was starred in a floor show, assisting as hostesses were Mesdames Ruby Avington, Tom Sleet, Lee Martin, Evelyn Marsh and Sarah Collins and Miss Geneva King.

Serving as hosts were Messrs. Reggie Avington, John Watson, Napoleon Richey, Harold Lewis, Tom Sleet, Lee Martin, Orton Shelton, and Samuel Vaughn.

Mrs. Rose H. Thompson has returned to the city after spending the holiday season in Lawton, Okla., with her daughter and son-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Eugene A. Owens, and their son, Charles Clinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Harry III spent Christmas with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Harris, in St. Louis.

Officers attending included Mrs. Monetta Lighten, president; Mrs. Anna Jones, secretary; Lemuel Neeley, treasurer; Samuel Scott, special committeeman; and Charles Lighten, chairman. Although Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Neeley are new to the official family, the others were re-elected. Mrs. Lighten serving as president for the third consecutive year.

Also members of the class are Messrs. and Mesdames John Simms, Claude Young, and Lee Denkins, Mesdames Mattie Banks, Blanche Franklin, Sadie Stevens, and Emma Gordon.

The class meets in various members' homes, and devotes itself to Christian work in the community wherever needed, regardless of church affiliation.

where they were joined by their son, Cpl. Charles E. Harry IV, who is stationed at Camp Roberts, California, having been there since May. Cpl. Harry returned to the city with his parents to spend a few days.

Miss Naomi Thomas and her niece, Sandra Long, New York City, were guests last week of her brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. E. P. Thomas. She also visited her parents, Rev. and Mrs. S. S. Thomas. Miss Thomas is a social service worker with the Sheltering Arms Children's Service in New York.

Miss Geneva Armstrong entertained with a buffet supper in her home last Sunday night in honor of Miss Thomas. Guests were Mesdames Georgia Falwell, Mary Helen Dunn, Alice Daugherty, Millerson Daniels, Mary Brawley and Betty Gibson and Mr. and Mrs. James Patton. Also entertaining in honor of Miss Thomas last week were Mesdames Dunn, Falwell, and Benjie Ruth Mullins.

Mrs. Lela Pickett and daughter, Lorraine, Washington, D.C., were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hawkins, last week.

Members of the Book Lovers club enjoyed their 28th annual Christmas party in the home of Mrs. David Reynolds, with Mrs. B. S. Gordon as quiz master for games, naming familiar authors after the members were given several clues. Prizes were given Mesdames G. L. Hayes, John Norrel, and Henry Wilson. The members exchanged gifts and chatted over a delicious luncheon.

Mrs. Lionel F. Artis will entertain the club Sunday evening at 5:30, when Mrs. H. L. Hummons will review "Chariot in the Sky," and Mrs. Gordon will give the feature. Mrs. Guy L. Grant is president of the club.

Robert Marbury was host to the Wylewade Bridge club last Saturday night, when prizes were won by Leander Parker, John Metzger, and Dave Clark. George Gaillard was guest.

The Enright Social club has announced its officers for 1952, elected at a recent meeting in the home of Charles Allen. They are George McButts, president; Thomas Parker, vice-president; Frank Hailstock, secretary; Lyman Goodloe, assistant secretary; William Perkins, financial secretary; Jack Higginson treasurer; Sam Thomas, sergeant-at-arms; Charles Allen, dance director; Bishop Owsley, business manager; and Kennie Gordon, journalist.

Mrs. Roy D. Thompson entered General Hospital last week to undergo an operation. Here's hoping her good luck!

Mrs. Louise DuPee is confined to General Hospital. She is on Ward B-2, Room 2.

COMMUNITY SERVICE will meet with Miss Charity Bolden, 1001 West New York street, next Tuesday.

FIDELIS met with Mrs. Audrey Carter, 2437 Shriver avenue. Prizes were won by Mesdames Florence Bush, Margaret Vanlier and Helen Veal. Next meeting will be with Mrs. Rosamond Cranlie, 2809 Shriver avenue.

GIRLS PROGRESSIVE TWELVE met with Mrs. M. Springfield last Thursday night, with Mrs. H. Burnside as hostess. The next meeting will be with Mrs. A. Caldwell, 849 Eugene street.

J. S. S. W. met with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Sanders, 344 Northern avenue. The house was decorated in keeping with the holiday season. Plans were made for a groundhog party to be given February 2. Next meeting will be with Mr. and Mrs. W. Morton, 402 West 39th street.

MYSTIC KREWE has made plans for an active year. Business contacts may be made with the business manager, Mrs. Georgia McElroy, 2721 North Keystone avenue.

PHYLLIS WHEATLEY Embroidery met with Mrs. Grace Wilson, 2532 Highland place. Next week's meeting will be with Miss Bessie Carr, 822 East Washington street.

SECRET TEN will have their first meeting of the year Friday with Mrs. Connie Williams, 649 Blake street.

SOCIAL HOUR will meet with Mrs. Etta Brown, 1857 Boulevard place. The club's Christmas dinner was held in the home of Mrs. Georgia Davis, 2037 Highland place.

SOUTHSIDE FLORAL had its Christmas party in the home of Mrs. A. Redmon. Guests were entertained, and Mrs. Louise Vance was accepted as a member.

THURMAN WCTU will meet with Mrs. Rebecca Stith, 2230 Miller street, next Sunday.

T. S. C. GIRLS met with Miss Willie Dee Mills. Prizes were won by Mesdames Celeste McKinney, Bridie Cole and Lillian Holt. Mrs. McKinney will be next hostess at 1202 North Capitol avenue, Building 4.

HODGES-GILBERT RITES ANNOUNCED

Mrs. Carley Gilbert, 823 West 10th street, announces the marriage of her daughter, Anna Mae, to Sylvester Hodges Jr., which took place on December 29 at 8:30 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Johnson, 1711 Northwestern avenue. Rev. C. Henry Bell officiated. A reception followed in the Ferguson Hotel.

Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Hodges Sr., Campbellville, Ky.

The couple, both residents of this city, will reside at 1711 Northwestern avenue, apartment 1.

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## Voice of the Eastside

By MARY P. McGUIRE

Science has sometimes tried to teach us that if a pebble is cast into the sea on any shore, the effects are felt, though not perceived by man, over the whole area of the ocean. . . effects that stretch into eternity and operate there forever, in sorrow or in joy.

Dr. J. O. Clark, pastor of New Bethel Baptist Church, carried out the desires of a Bell, last Monday afternoon. This member had cast a pebble from the shore. She was baptized by the late Dr. N. A. Seymour, and during the pastorate of the late Rev. George Baltimore, in 1946 made request that her funeral services be held in New Bethel Baptist Church.

Dr. Clark talked on Genesis 5:25, closing by saying "Blessed are they that die in the Lord." Much credit is due Rev. F. W. Weathers, pastor of Second Baptist Church, Richmond, where Mrs. Bell had lived after leaving New Bethel Baptist Church. He accompanied the body here, bringing a soloist, Mrs. A. Langford who sang with Mrs. Julia Means at the piano, Patterson's Funeral Home, Richmond, was in charge of the remains.

As a former clerk, I wish to come to the defense of the pastors and clerks regarding deceased members. Many times arrangements are made completely without any notice being given to the pastor or clerk, and yet full cooperation is expected.

The pastor should always be given first notice, then he will instruct the clerk according to the desires of the family. Don't look green-eyed at the pastor and clerk without an understanding. This is just a tip from past experiences.

On Saturday night Mrs. Florence Jefferson, 2715 Columbia avenue, gave the Jubilee Singers a party closing their year's work. Colors were of the season with a beautiful crystal punch bowl in the center. Among guests were Mesdames Arizona Dorsey, Helen Richardson, and Willa Board.

Mrs. Beatrice Hollifield, 2704 Sangster avenue, was hostess to the Little Wives club at a buffet luncheon meeting last week. Seasonal decorations were used. Enjoying the delicious ham and everything that goes with it were the Little Wives and their guests, including Mesdames George Snowe, Jr., M. Walker, Ella Mae Hollifield, and Alice Gartin, mother of the club, and Messrs. Herman Board, A. C. Lomax, and Vernon Whitnet and family.

Another New Year's celebration was the family reunion of the Cushingberrys, Cavanaughs, and Skagges in the home of Mrs. Lettie Skaggs, 1628 Martindale avenue, attended by 42 persons. All enjoyed a big turkey dinner.

Special thanks to all my friends for the many invitations sent to join them and their groups at the many fine dinners and programs. I regret so much I could not cover them all—but don't stop sending them. Of course, my size is telling just how much food I did devour during the holidays. You of various churches who have extended me special invitations, don't give me up. I will be there in the near future. Wishing all the churches and organizations a very good year.

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### PLEASANT SHACKS PARENTS OF GIRL

CAMP STONEMAN, Calif.—Captain and Mrs. Pleasant Shack are parents of a girl, Roxanne Selaine, born December 20, 1951, in the U. S. army hospital here. Mrs. Shack is the daughter of Mrs. Dora Mosley, 3142 North Gale street, Indianapolis, and Capt. Shrek, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Shack, both deceased, and a former resident of Indianapolis, is presently assigned to the 35th Engineers Combat Battalion at Camp Roberts, Calif.

## Local Church of Christ Committee Sponsors Baby Contest As Part of Fund-Raising Campaign



Mrs. Betty Lewis was sponsor of a tea and baby contest presented recently in the interest of a fund-raising building drive for the Church of Christ, held in the home of the Indiana Federation of Colored Women's Clubs.

Patricia Elaine Thompson, daughter of Mrs. Magnolia Thompson, 2036 West 10th street, was winner of the baby contest, and Carl Lee Russell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Russell, 1033 North hTraub avenue, was second-place winner.

Runners-up were Nanette Blair, Gwendolyn Hill, Maria Vaughn Hill and Gwenette Mitchell.

The program was opened with song and prayer and a talk by Rev. G. A. Brooks. Also participating in the program were the choir group of Free Will Baptist Church, Mesdames Lucy Kimball, Sadie Robbie, Lula Garrett, Pearl Tapp and Eva Cook, Rev. W. Bates and Eddie Jennings.

A highlight of the program was a talk by Miss Rosetta Young, Providence, Ky.

Mrs. Ruth Macomb was chairman of the program. Assisting in pouring were Mesdames Ollie Thomas, Nettie Miller, Josephine Curtis and Katy Pritchett.

Mrs. Lila Mae Randall was crowned by Rich Blaine, judge, as "patron of honor" for having

raised the largest amount of money in connection with the tea.

Pictured are Patricia Thompson, upper left; Carl Lee Russell, upper right; Mrs. Randall, bottom left; and Mrs. Othella Clark, who did the special photographic work, bottom right.

Rev. Jesse Pritchett is pastor of the church.

### EVANSVILLE GIRL PRESENTS RECITAL

EVANSVILLE—Miss Mary Coleman, Evansville College soprano student, was presented in a senior recital Tuesday night in the Great Hall of the McCurdy Alumni Memorial Union building. She was accompanied by Miss Joann Mann.

Miss Coleman, a student of Prof. Cecil B. Selfridge, has been a featured soloist with the school's a cappella choir in concerts locally and on tour, and this year is president of the choir.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ulisses Coleman of this city. She ranked second in her graduating class at Lincoln high school, where she was elected to the National Honor Society.

She was recently named winner of a \$500 Evansville Courier Charles scholarship for this year. A member of Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority, she has served on the women's council at the college.

### World War Widows Feted At Dinner

Mrs. Marie Pearl Jordan, sergeant-at-arms of the Indiana Chapter No. 1, World War I Widows, entertained the president, Mrs. Edna Wickard, and vice-president, Mrs. Charlotte Espenlund, at a rabbit dinner last Friday in her home, 1717 Vandemere street.

The chapter, which was organized in April of last year, meets on the second Wednesday night of each month at 7 in the east room of the Indiana World War Memorial. All World War I widows are urged to attend.

Pvt. Maurice Woodson returned recently to Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., after spending a ten-day visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Young.

Mrs. Bessie Hoover, 2302 North Arsenal avenue, is confined to General Hospital. She is expected home soon.

## YWCA Department Plans Interesting Winter Program

The young adult department of the Phyllis Wheatley YWCA, under the direction of Mrs. Thelma C. Riley, department director, will provide for the community a well-rounded and stimulating program for the winter months, it was announced this week. Contact has been made with some of the best leadership in the city, and many have volunteered their service in the interest of program building and serving humanity.

The Bible class will be taught by Rev. J. O. Clark, pastor of New Bethel Baptist Church. Dr. Clark will open the series of studies starting at the birth of Christ and continuing to the crucifixion. Students who wish may receive credits for Bible classes, obtaining certificates which will be recognized in the United States and Canada, in cooperation with the Federal Council of Churches. Classes will begin January 16.

A new feature of the department will be the YWCA choral group to be directed by Miss Jennie Norton. A prerequisite for joining the group will be membership, a knowledge of music, and a good singing voice. Tryouts for the group were to begin this week.

Persons who enjoy singing but have no particular singing ability will be welcomed in the health education department's singing sessions.

Y-Wives began their meetings of the new year on Monday of this week. The group will participate in the Red Cross home nursing class for seven weeks, after which a class in ceramics will be started. New young wives will be welcomed into the group.

The Blockettes ended the year with a dinner party for the members.

### WIDOW LADIES OPEN YEAR

The Widow Ladies club's first meeting of the year was held in the home of Mrs. Ada Douglas. Mrs. Hattie Knox gave a reading, and a guest, Mrs. Ada Banks, rendered a solo. Mrs. Anna Walton and other guests also made remarks.

The club's New Year's party was held in the home of the president, Mrs. Flora Clark, 2221 North Oxford street. The house was decorated in Christmas colors, making an attractive background for the exchange of gifts, ice cream, cookies, nuts, and candies were served to the approximately 35 members and guests present.

The club will meet February 3 at 1209 North Senate avenue, with Mesdames Dovie Sanders, Louise Keys, and Ella Black as hostesses.



BROTHERS IN SERVICE: It's a different branch of the service for each of the "Bell Boys." Howard Frank Bell (left), stationed at Chincoteague, Va., has been in the Navy since 1948, seeing service in Cuba. The 21-year-old sailor attended Crispus Attucks high school. Cpl. John T. Bell, age 24, (center) has seen service in Germany, France, and Austria since he entered the Army in 1946. A 1946 graduate of CAHS, he is now stationed at Fort George Meade, Md. The youngest of the brothers, 19-year-old Pfc. William Kelley Bell, recently finished his basic training in the Air Force at Sampson Air Force Base, N.Y., and is now stationed at Fort Francis E. Warren, Cheyenne, Wyo. He is a 1950 graduate of CAHS and entered the service in September, 1951. John and William were home for Christmas visiting their aunt, Mrs. Bessie Trautman, 2855 Boulevard place.

## Intercollegiate Club Hears National Labor Organizer

The Intercollegiate club of the Senate Avenue YMCA enjoyed as principal speaker last Sunday afternoon Theodore Robinson, national CIO labor organizer, who spoke on "Labor and Its Impact on American Life."

He said that labor organization today is a permanent institution in American life and that it is in no danger of being dislodged. He also said that the aim of the CIO is not just salary increases, but job security, that is, an annual wage for workers which would be payable regardless of lay-offs. He pointed out that such a plan would provide greater security for workers than irregular salary increases without guarantees against lay-offs.

Following his speech, there was an interesting question period which brought out other details of the national CIO program.

In the business meeting, William Clark introduced the new members and offered them various committees upon which to serve. William Martin, membership chairman, called attention to the new competitive plan for encouraging regular attendance of members. The person who, by June, evidences the most active attendance and is in good financial standing will receive a prize.

The program next week will be presented by the Phoenix frat-

The Vagabonds and Vagantettes, a high school co-ed club, held its regular meeting last Monday night at the YMCA. A resume was held on the Christmas party given during the holidays for children of welfare families. Several forthcoming projects were discussed.

Following the business meeting remarks were made to the club by B. E. Gardner concerning "New Attitudes for 1952." Mrs. Barbara Smith is sponsor of the club.

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## Chatting with the FAC

By ELSA JACKSON

The presentation of exchange teachers at a pitch-in luncheon given by the educational tour committee was attended by more than 100 people last Saturday evening, and, as a result of the affair, more than dozen persons have registered and made an initial payment on their reservations for the trip to Europe in 1953. Six couples had registered previously.

Mrs. Ruth Freeman and Miss Rose Ella King spoke extensively on England and Scotland. Mrs. Freeman showing illustrative pictures.

Mrs. Ann Kennerly, master of ceremonies, called for voluntary expressions on each of the previous educational tours.

A letter of thanks and appreciation was received from the recipients of clothing sent to Haiti. The letter also explained that the Haitians are in urgent need of money for the education of children, noting that \$15 a month would pay for the education of forty children in school. Mrs. Rosa Carter, Anderson, volunteered to pay six months' tuition for a school of forty youngsters. Mrs. Carter was also in charge of food for the affair.

Other out-of-town guests were Mrs. M. Willison, Kokomo, and Mrs. Jessie Smith, Fort Wayne.

Starling W. James, FAC president, reported that reservations for the trip to Louisiana were almost closed. The tourists decided to organize and call themselves the "Fellow Travelers of the FAC."

They will have two well-planned affairs each year in the interest of the trips. The next affair will fall into the hands of the officers elected last Saturday, Mrs. Bessie James, general chairman; Mrs. Rosa Carter, first vice-chairman; John Powers, second vice-chairman; and Mrs. Fannie Hyde, treasurer.

Rev. Evans Jordan will be presented at the regular FAC meeting Monday to install newly elected officers. All officers of the trustee board were re-elected. Those of the board of directors were re-elected, except Jay Smith, who was elected vice-chairman.

The Gay Caballeros elected officers last Monday night. They are Messrs. Lamar Peterson Sr., president; Bervin Caesar, vice-president; John T. Tate, financial secretary; Lee Miller, recording secretary; William Reed, treasurer; Alvia Coleman, business manager; and Eddie Henry, sergeant-at-arms.

Wives and sweethearts will be special guests at the inauguration dinner of the group, to be held on Friday night of this week.

Mrs. Luella Smith entertained at a Christmas dinner for a cousin, Mrs. Josephine Whitehead, Boston, and Dr. and Mrs. William Edwards and family, Terre Haute. Also guests were Messrs. and Mesdames Charles Hansberry and Leonard Whitely, the Misses Ruth Poole and Ida Woodson, and Messrs. Alphonso Thomas, Davis Tucker, and Frank Snyder.

Mrs. Whitehead was also entertained by Messrs. and Mesdames Dave McCullough, Leonard Whitely, Sloan Walker, Joseph Waites, Claude Rutledge, and Taylor Robertson and Miss Ruth Poole and was a special guest at the Christmas parties of the Cap and Gown club, Purple Cross Nurses No. 149, the TV club, and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lamb.

Mrs. Smith entertained her guests at breakfast on the morning of Mrs. Whitehead's departure. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Brewington, Mesdames E. Rice, Cozy O'Neil, Ben Palms, Joseph Waites, Eugene Lamb, and Claude Rutledge.

Members of the Colonial Matrons gathered in the home of Mrs. Mary Lindsey, vice-president, and prepared their baskets for Christmas distribution. Other meetings have been held in the home of the Indiana Federation of Colored Women's Clubs. Miss

Veannie Dobbins is president, and Mrs. Mattie Rice is reporter.

The Golden Circle Girls enjoyed a superb Christmas party in the home of Miss Hattie Thomas last Friday night. There was plenty of food and refreshments, and gifts were piled high around the beautifully decorated Christmas tree.

The club extended sympathy to Mrs. Elizabeth Enix, who buried an aunt this week, and also to Mesdames Willa Owsley and Fannie Hyde, who are in Chicago to bury an uncle.

The club will meet with Mrs. Cora Smith, 1243 West 25th street, next Wednesday.

The Jackson Park Civic club will meet in the home of Mrs. Clotel Webster, 2406 Sheldon street, on Friday night of next week.

### HATTIE LYONS SERVES DINNER

Mrs. Hattie Lyons entertained friends at a turkey dinner recently. The evening was spent viewing television, playing games and enjoying a magic show by M. Johnson, one of the guests.

Those invited included Messrs. and Mesdames Herbert Blacksmith, M. H. Johnson, Pete Hayes, C. Stott, Sam Christian, J. Quarles, and W. Stone and son, Louisville; Mesdames Dorothy Baugh and Marion Gilliam, and Messrs. Wyman Robinson and Archie Green.

### Club Members Hold Christmas Party

Members of the Jolly Variety club enjoyed their Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Ruth McGruder, 924 Burdall parkway, on December 28. Gifts were exchanged. M. Meyers and his wife, the former Miss Jean McGruder, showed a picture of their many travels throughout the country.

Guests at the party were Messrs. and Mesdames John Cheatum and George Winters, Mrs. Marylene Harrison, Miss Virginia McGruder, and Messrs. Russell Pasley, Herschel Hayes, and Norris McGruder.

### Northside Club Elects Officers

The Northside Social club elected officers at the last meeting, held on Thursday night of last week in the home of the Federation of Associated Clubs, Inc. They were John Streets, president; Caldwell Morris, vice-president; Thomas Pyrtle, secretary; Charles Rucker, treasurer; Robert Scott, assistant secretary and reporter; and Henry Dawson, sergeant-at-arms.

Also members are Floyd Hughes, J. W. Moore, Harold Bigsbee, Richard Martin, and James Watkins.

### WCTU GROUP MEETS

The Highland WCTU met in the home of Mrs. Fannie Lindsay, 532 Douglass street, where a lovely lunch was enjoyed. Next meeting will be with Mrs. Wynonie L. Walker, 2214 North Kenwood avenue.

Mrs. Nina Woods, who has been quite ill in General Hospital, is now at home, 921 West 32nd st.

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Rev. Dames will also deliver the message at Bethel A. M. E. next Sunday morning at 11 a.m. The tithing program gathers momentum as the number of tithers increase with each service. Plan to attend at least one of these services.

Clarence Stewart, Reporter.

### Jacobs Bros. Obituary

Funeral services for Mrs. Carrie Vance were held Dec. 31 at 10 A. M. in the Westside Chapel. Burial was in New Crown. Rev. H. T. W. Bush officiated.

Funeral services for Mr. John H. Elliott were held Jan. 1 at 10 A. M. in the Westside Chapel. Burial was in Floral Park. Elder G. W. Bush officiated.

Funeral services for Mr. Anthony Jenkins were held Jan. 5 at 1 P. M. in the Westside Chapel. Burial was in New Crown. Rev. L. S. Gaston officiated.

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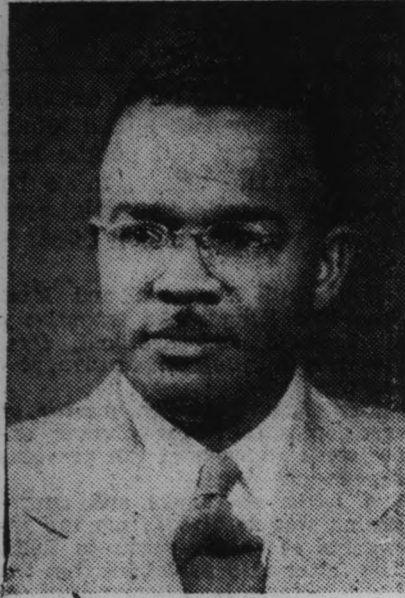
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.

Evening Worship, 8:00 p.m.

Rev. G. L. Robinson, Pastor

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### Rev. J. H. Cheffins Accepts Pastorate



REV. J. F. CHEFFINS

Rev. J. H. Cheffins, pastor of New Haven Baptist Church, Shelbyville, Indiana, has accepted the pastorate of the Community Baptist Church, Indianapolis, formerly pastored by the late Rev. John Turner. Rev. Cheffins will preach his farewell sermon at the New Haven Baptist church the third Sunday in January at 3 p.m. The deacons and membership are tendering him a reception as he leaves to a new field of labor. Rev. Cheffins is very grateful to the very fine people at Shelbyville, for their co-operation, he shall ever cherish their memories. The Community Baptist church received him highly Sunday morning. He preached an able sermon and nine members have been added to the church.

### Attention Sun. School And B. T. U. Workers

The Indiana State Sunday School and B. T. U. Congress is sponsoring a WORK SHOP at 7:00 p.m., Thursday, January 17, at the New Bethel Baptist Church, followed by a MASS MEETING at 8:00 p.m. Plan now to attend. Rev. E. D. Butler, pastor.

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### Every Member Day At Galilee Baptist

Galilee Baptist Church is sponsoring EVERY MEMBER DAY Sunday, January 13, at 3:30 p.m. We are having as our guest speaker Mrs. Lula M. Haynes of Chicago, Illinois. A woman of high integrity and outstanding instructor in Christian Education in the Baptist Training School of Religion in Chicago. She is a dynamic and influential speaker. If you hear her once you will want to hear her again. The public is cordially invited. The sponsoring committee is Mesdames Anna Elliott, Mary Worders and Minnie Baxter. Rev. D. B. Dudley is pastor. Galilee Baptist Church is located at 5629 East 25th street.

### EXTEND HEARTY THANKS

The pastor and wife, Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Hunt, of the Bethany Baptist Church wish to express their sincere gratitude to Rev. F. Jefferson, of Pilgrim Baptist Church, fellow ministers, members and friends of the Bethany Baptist Church for the grand cooperation and Christian fellowship in our anniversary celebration, followed by a timely reception. We also extend hearty appreciation to the many friends who visited the church and participated in our services during 1951. We wish you a joyful and happy year. Mr. Robert I. Rhea served as master of ceremonies at this celebration.

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CME BISHOPS HOLD MEET IN CHICAGO: The College of Bishops of the Colored Methodist Episcopal Church recently held a meeting in Chicago to discuss both spiritual and practical affairs of the CME church. Seated left to right are Bishops H. B. Porter, R. A. Carter, senior bishop and J. Arthur Hamlett; and standing (left to right) are Bishops A. W. Womack, F. L. Lewis, president of the Bishops college; W. Y. Bell, Luther Stewart and B. W. Doyle.—(ANP)

## COUNCIL OF CHURCHES CITES GAINS IN RACE RELATIONS

NEW YORK (ANP)—The National Council of Churches of Christ in the U. S. A., in a widely distributed statement at the end of 1951, pointed to the revolutionary developments of race relations in the South in the last decade, but warned that America's treatment of its minorities is being watched closely by our enemies abroad.

The Council statement entitled "Of One Blood" was written as a guide to programs celebrating the annual observance of Race Relations Sunday, which will be held this year on Feb. 10.

Dr. Oscar Lee, director of the Council's department of race relations, tells of some significant developments in race relations over the last 10 years in the South. Individual churches, groups of churches and other organizations were active in recent years seeking equal opportunities for Negroes in education, industry, government, public housing, recreation, health and military services.

Much remains. The Council statement stressed the fact that race relations have improved in various phases of American life, but warned that much remains to be accomplished. It pointed out that our world conflict is centered around the question of race, which is the most crucial problem facing the world today.

It called attention to the propaganda value of America's mistreatment of Negroes and other minorities within our borders. It warned that the whole world is watching closely every racial incident in the

United States, and that we cannot afford to weaken our standing in the world court of public opinion during this critical hour for modern civilization.

The National Council of Churches of Christ in the U. S. A., organized last November, is one of the most powerful religious groups in the world. Its membership includes the African Methodist Episcopal Church, the African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church, the National Baptist Convention of America, the National Baptist Convention, U. S. A., and the Colored Methodist Episcopal Church.

### Elks Install 1952 Officers At Lodge No. 104

Officers for 1952 of Indiana lodge of Elks No. 104 were installed by Special Deputy James Meadows Monday night. Osa G. Woodall, exalted ruler, announced a progressive program for the year. A turkey dinner was served. "The Man of the Year" citation, a cup with the name of the winner engraved on it, was awarded to Cuban Younger. He was declared outstanding in attendance, as chairman of the house committee and as a good sportsman. About 100 members were present.

The lodge will sponsor a Polio Benefit dance at the Masonic Hall Saturday, Jan. 26. Proceeds will go to the national polio fund. A popularity contest will be held in connection with the dance. The public is invited to attend.



Left to right: Dr. H. W. Hunter, Cleveland, Ohio, President Ohio State Association of Elks; Dr. Marie Carpenter, Jersey City, N. J., Member Jersey City Board of Education; Scovel Richardson, St. Louis, Mo., President National Bar Association; E. C. Smith, Fayetteville, W. Va., Assistant Superintendent of Education.

### Religious Sect

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his act, told the commissioner he is a member of Jehovah's Witness, Kingdom Hall Church, a devout religious sect which holds that a "belief in God does not permit a member to serve in the Army, as it would lead to the taking of human life."

If convicted, Sansing may be imprisoned for as long as five years. Conscientious objectors whose religious beliefs permit them to join the Armed Forces but not carry arms, are treated as regular soldiers with exception they are not entitled to receive honorable discharges.

"I'd Be a Deserter" Sansing, a section hand railroad worker, said. "If a soldier in the United States Army went over to the Russian side, he'd be charged with desertion. I'd be doing the same thing. I'd be a deserter if I left God's army."

The youth added, "Paul, James and Daniel went through the same things because they would not render unto Caesar things that belonged only to God."

He said he had gone to Attucks high school about a year and a half, but quit recently to help his mother in raising a large family.

Marshall Hanley, assistant U. S. District Attorney, said Sansing is being charged with violation of the 1948 Selective Service Act.

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## Mrs. Emma Cox's Funeral Rites Here Friday

Funeral services for Mrs. Emma Cox, age 92, mother of a family of sons and daughters who achieved prominence, were scheduled to be held at the Patton Funeral Home on Friday, Jan. 11, at 1 p. m.

Mrs. Cox died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Nettie L. Ransom, 828 N. California street, early Tuesday morning. She had been in failing health for four years and was confined to bed since September 2.

She came here to live with Mrs. Ransom in 1928 following the death of her husband, Diamond Cox, and for some time was active as a member of Bethel A.M.E. Church.

Born in Jackson, Miss., she attended the Tougaloo Normal College, married, and settled down to raising her family of three sons and five daughters who survive her.

Her husband achieved wide prominence in Jackson and the state as a civic, educational and business leader. He for many years was a state official for the North Carolina Mutual Insurance Company.

A Model Housekeeper Mrs. Cox won recognition as a model housekeeper. She successfully taught her children the advantages of following a method in performing the chores and tasks of housekeeping, career-making and earning a livelihood.

She believed, taught and emulated the idea that Christ-

## AME Zion Bishops Meet to Name Board Secretary

ST. LOUIS, Mo. (ANP)—One of the important obligations facing the Board of Bishops of the A.M.E. Church at its regular mid-winter session here Jan. 9-12 will be the naming of a new financial secretary to fill a vacancy created by the death of the incumbent. The meeting will be the last meeting before the church's general conference, which convenes in Brooklyn in May. The ministers and laymen's association of the denomination also will meet at this time.

Bishop W. C. Brown of Los Angeles, Cal., is host bishop; Bishop W. J. Walls of Chicago is senior bishop and Bishop R. L. Jones of Salisbury, N. C., is retiring chairman. He is to be succeeded by Bishop H. T. Medford of Washington, D. C., who will preside over the sessions here.

Dr. S. J. Spurgeon, Washington, D. C., is president of the laymen's organization, and Dr. E. Franklin Jackson of Buffalo, N. Y., is secretary.

Dr. W. A. Cooper is host pastor.

ian principles as taught in the church and Sunday School, which she and her family attended regularly, must support a useful and happy life.

The surviving children are: daughters, Mrs. Nettie Ransom, widow of the late F. B. Ransom, and Mrs. Luella Lewis, this city; Mesdames Viola Washington and Carmine White, Chicago, and Mrs. Grace Myre, Cleveland; sons, Dr. Charleston B. Cox, dentist, Indianapolis; Dr. Frank Cox, pharmacist, St. Louis, Mo., and Ethelbert Cox, Cleveland, Ohio. Burial was to be in Crown Hill.

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## JANUARY

Indiana Supreme Court denies petition to reconsider decision upholding death sentence for Robert Austin Watts.

Dr. Guy L. Grant and Dr. E. D. Alexander, both founders of Kappa Alpha Psi fraternity and residents of Indianapolis, elected to the board of directors at the Kansas City grand convocation.

Marion County grand jury impaneled including George W. Robinson, usher "Red Cap" at the Indianapolis Union Station.

Indianapolis Recorder Race Relations Honor Roll for the state and year of 1950 included Benjamin F. Wilson, Cary city councilman; Philip H. Wilkie, Rushville, member of Indiana General Assembly; John A. Hoadley, Bloomington, industrialist; Josephine M. Curtis (Mrs. Guy P. Curtis), South Bend, William Elliott, Kokomo Carver Center director; William Brown, Indianapolis, bowling champion in city tournament sponsored by The News; Judge Alex M. Clark, Municipal Court IV, and Valjean Dickinson, South Bend, Indiana University student.

## APRIL

Widely known mortician and businessman, Thos. E. J. King, Indianapolis, dies at his home after several months' illness.

Mrs. Emma DuValle Davis, former social worker and head of the Colored Orphan's Home in Indianapolis, dies in the city of Philadelphia where she had made her home in recent years.

Mayor Eugene Swartz of Gary names well known young Negro lawyer, Howard H. Hill, as first assistant city attorney.

## MAY

Eighth annual United Negro College Fund drive started in Indiana with a goal of \$40,000. Dr. H. N. Middleton serves as chairman for the state.

Five Negro persons seek GOP nomination for City Council in Indianapolis. Dr. Ralph E. Hanley is the lone Negro seeking the Democratic nomination. The Republicans are Frank R. Beckwith, Cary D. Jacobs, W. Chester Hibbitt, Oliver Bell and Carl Anderson.

Four Negroes nominated for City Council in Gary. Two Democrats, Benjamin F. Wilson and T. C. Gray, are members of the Gary city council seeking reelection.

Board of School Commissioners challenged by local NAACP on carrying out the letter and spirit of the Indiana Anti-Segregated School Law. NAACP charges that mounting evidence indicates school board is "thumping its nose" at the law relating to integration of public schools.

## FEBRUARY

William E. Jones, widely known in local and state activities of Masons, dies in city.

"County Road Gang" plan of Marion County Sheriff widely scored by citizens.

House Bill 193, "Teeth-for-FEC" faces battle in Indiana General Assembly.

Widely known Hoosier educator, Dr. Joseph C. Carroll, member of the faculty of Attucks high school, dies. Dr. Carroll formerly taught at Wilberforce University, Morehouse College and Virginia Seminary and College.

## MARCH

J. Homer Tutt, nationally famous, showman and a native of

Logansport, dies at Los Angeles, Calif.

F. E. DeFrantz, executive secretary of the local Senate Avenue YMCA, paid tribute on ending 38 years' service to nationally known institution.

NAACP state board meeting in Indianapolis maps drive over state for jobs following defeat of the FEPC Bill in Indiana General Assembly.

Mrs. Lucy Grant, mother of Dr. Guy L. Grant and Attorney Wilbur H. Grant, dies in her home in Indianapolis. Mrs. Grant was a pioneer citizen of the city.

Richmond man, Harold Bass, elected head of the Indiana Elks' Association at the annual meet held at Kokomo.

## JULY

Recorder sponsors "Snorden Fund," a tribute to young police officer Clarence G. Snorden, slain in line of duty late in June on the near northside of the city.

Mrs. Ruth Willis, Indianapolis, retired teacher and wife of Herbert C. Willis, prominent funeral director, dies in the General Hospital.

Daniel W. Jones, widely known retired hauling contractor and clerical employee in the Marion County Courthouse, dies at his home.

Recorder sponsors city-wide voters drive, urging all citizens to register and vote in the general elections.

## AUGUST

Nationally known clubwoman, civic leader and retired teacher, Mrs. Sallie W. Stewart, dies at Evansville.

Styled a hate group, the Indiana Parents Association, Inc., is formed at Evansville to oppose the Indiana Anti-Segregated School Law and work for the repeal of the law.

Pentecostal Assemblies of the World hold national convention in Indianapolis, presided over by eminent Bishop Samuel Grimes, New York.

Missionary Convention of the International Convention of Disciples holds national convention in the city of Indianapolis, Rev. Emmett J. Dickson, executive secretary.

Clarence E. Hicks, member of the widely known Foster Hall quartet and retired manual arts teacher, dies in accidental discharge of gun in his home.

Indiana Masons' Prince Hall affiliation reelect Cornelius R. Richardson, Richmond attorney, to leadership of the state grand lodge.

Rites held for Mrs. Nancy Porter, Baltimore, widow of the late Rev. George Baltimore, pastor for many years of New Bethel Baptist Church of Indianapolis.

Dr. Roscoe R. Polin, eminent Indianapolis musician, elected president of the National Association of Negro Musicians at the annual convention in Washington.

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Recorder initiates "M-Day," city-wide mobilization of Negro

voters. Committee of 1,000 takes part in drive to get voters registered.

Rites held for James H. Courtney, widely known official of Bethel AME Church, Indianapolis, and retired Pullman porter.

Mrs. Alice Howard, age 43, 2529 Eastern avenue, gives birth to 20th child in local hospital.

Claude E. Watkins, Marion, elected imperial treasurer of Shriner's (AEOANMS) at annual convention in New York.

## OCTOBER

Indiana Missionary Baptist State Convention held in Indianapolis at Mt. Paran Baptist Church. Rev. C. Henry Bell, state moderator, is the host pastor.

Indiana State Conference of NAACP Branches holds annual meet in Indianapolis. Willard B. Ransom, Indianapolis attorney and businessman, reelected state president.

## NOVEMBER

Judge Alex M. Clark of the Municipal Court is elected Mayor of Indianapolis.

Mrs. Minnie Gayton, colorful figure along Indiana avenue known as "Minnie the Moocher," dies in local hospital.

Gov. Henry F. Schricker hedges on appointment of Negro attorney to the Municipal Court bench of Indianapolis, following the pleas of several civic groups.

## DECEMBER

The Recorder's 22nd annual Christmas Cheer Fund drive is initiated by Indianapolis Recorder Charities, Inc.

Gary Crime Commission initiates survey of traffic in narcotics in the Calumet city.

D. C. Stephenson, former leader of the Ku Klux Klan, ordered re-arrested by Indianapolis, reported discharged from his position in the department of philosophy at the University of Minnesota.

Appointment of Rufus C. Kuykendall, Indianapolis attorney, to the post of first assistant city attorney is announced by Mayor-elect Alex M. Clark.

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## U. S. Court Bans MFACW Group Masons in Ga.

ATLANTA (Special)—Judge A. B. Conger of the U. S. Middle District Court ruled at Columbus, Ga., the last day of the year (1951) that the Supreme Grand Lodge, Modern Free and Accepted Colored Masons of the World must dissolve, or merge with some other "legally constituted Masonic body" within a year.

The case was one of Prince Hall Masons of Georgia, John Wesley Dobbs, grand master, versus Modern Free and Accepted Colored Masons of the World, J. B. Baldwin, supreme grand master.

Baldwin claims to have received a charter in the state of Alabama in 1921. He now claims to operate in 17 states, among these Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas, Tennessee, Missouri, North and South Carolina and two or three Northern states. The court order stops operation of the order in the state of Georgia.

The plaintiff (Prince Hall Masons of Georgia) charged that the defendant (Baldwin's order) was "wholly spurious and an illegal body." The defendant also was alleged "to have the tendency to deceive and confuse the public, and especially to confuse and deceive prospective members of the plaintiff."

In his ruling Judge Conger enjoined the defendant from "appropriating and employing the ritual ceremonies of the plaintiff, and using any of the insignia, name, emblem, badge, symbol or paraphernalia of the plaintiff."

He further ruled that the defendant order should not use the words "free and accepted" in any manner. The defendant must, under the judge's decree, within a year from Dec. 28, 1951, order dissolve and discontinue its business as now carried on or merge with the York Mason or some other legally existing Masonic body.

Baldwin is a funeral director at Columbus, Ga.

## Famous Chicago "Frozen Woman" Is Walking Again

CHICAGO (ANP)—For the first time since last Feb. 9, when she was found in an alley literally frozen stiff, Mrs. Dorothy Mae Stevens, Chicago's famous "frozen woman," walked. She was fitted with artificial legs last week.

At the time she was found, her body temperature had dropped 38 degrees below normal, and doctors expressed amazement at her condition. The fact that Mrs. Stevens recovered—minus both feet and nine fingers—made medical history.

The artificial legs were purchased by the Illinois State Rehabilitation Commission. Dr. Harold Laumann of Michael Reese Hospital, who has had charge of Mrs. Stevens, said artificial fingers will be fitted later.

## Kokomo NAACP Officers for '52 Are Installed

KOKOMO—Officers of the Kokomo branch of the NAACP were installed during a meeting in the Carver Center on Monday night.

They are Dr. John Simmons, president; Hollis King, first vice-president; Rev. L. J. Jackson, second vice-president; Cleophas Hook, assistant secretary, and Joe McKnight, treasurer.

Committee chairman for the year are Theophilus Smith, membership; Hollis King, legal redress; Mrs. Elizabeth Orndorff, youth advisor; Mrs. Louise King, entertainment; Theophilus Smith, labor and industry; Edward Ray, publicity; Rev. J. W. Carr, housing, and Sterling Coleman, veterans.

John Waddell, H. L. Terry, Rev. Louis Hall, W. C. Stettis and Mesdames Anna Baker, Grovie Jackson and Goldie Madry serve on the executive board.

## MORGAN PROFESSOR ELECTED FELLOW OF ANTHROPOLOGY ASSN.

BALTIMORE, Md. (ANP)—Dr. Irene Diggs, professor of sociology at Morgan State College, has been elected a Fellow of the American Anthropological Association.

Dr. Diggs is primarily interested in the Negro in Middle and South America.



Frank and Larry (left and far right) and Tommy and Joan (center), St. Louis, Missouri, are brother and sister, and brother and sister. All were stricken by polio. March of Dimes money provided for their care and treatment. Join the March of Dimes with dollars, January 2-31.



FAITHFUL SERVICE REWARDED: Brig. Gen. Leslie Kincaid, president of the American Hotels Corp. which manages 53 hotels in the U.S., Panama and the Dominican Republic, presents a gold watch to Ben Waters. Waters has been with the corporation more than 25 years in charge of mail. The presentation was made at the Waldorf-Astoria in New York.

## Carver Award Granted Writer Of "Sound Off"

JOPLIN, Mo. (ANP)—Willie Lee Duckworth, writer of the Army's now famous marching song, "Sound Off," received the first annual George Washington Carver Achievement Award in ceremonies on the scientist's birthday last week.

Mrs. Portia Pittman, daughter of the late Booker T. Washington, presented the award to the Saundersville, Ga. songwriter.

Before the award, Duckworth and an all-Negro glee club from Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., sang the song he composed while a recruit at Fort Slocum, N. Y., during World War I.

A precision drill team from the Joplin high school ROTC unit executed maneuvers in the arena at Memorial Hall while Duckworth and the glee club performed.

The Duckworth chant, or "Sound Off," as it is popularly known, is used throughout the army to accompany close-order drill training.

## U. S. Action in Fla. Bombings Urged By NAACP Head

NEW YORK—"Speaking for the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People and for millions of white and Negro citizens who are outraged" by the bomb-slaying of Harry T. Moore on Christmas night, Arthur E. Spingarn, president, and Dr. Louis T. Wright, chairman of the board of directors, have called upon President Truman "to invoke all the powers of the Federal government to the end that Harry T. Moore may vindicate in death those principles and practices he sought in life."

In a strongly worded letter, made public last week, the NAACP officers reviewed the events leading to the assassination of the Florida leader of the organization, who had crusaded for civil rights, for expansion of the Negro vote, and for prosecution of Sheriff Willis McCall of Lake County for the slaying of Samuel Shepherd.

The letter, dated Dec. 27, said that this "wanting, cowardly murder... has shocked and horrified America because he (Moore) was guilty of no crime against society, of no behavior that betrays violence, and of no beliefs contrary to the proud principles of the American heritage."

## Owens Nothing, Divine Controls Vast Wealth

NEW YORK (ANP)—The man who declares that he is Almighty God, Father Divine, leader of millions of devout followers and head of a vast religious organization worth fabulous sums, does not personally own anything.

From the time of his rise in the 1920's, worshippers at the shrine of Father Divine with a few exceptions have willingly given their all for the privilege of being able to associate with the man who greets his cohorts with "Peace! It's Wonderful!"

A few disenchanted angels who once were his avid followers charge him with receiving funds from them under false pretense.

Among this group are the relatives of Mrs. Mary Sheldon Lyon, known as Peace Dove, who died in 1946. These relatives went to court to contest her willing some \$600,000, including half interest in a Cornell University dormitory, to the man who is Father to many.

Father Divine immediately denied this and said:

"I have inexhaustible funds. I never asked or accepted contributions from Mrs. Lyon."

But after news of the dissension was printed in the newspapers, a settlement was reached. Father Divine's attorney and a representative of Mrs. Lyon's brother were appointed administrators of the \$600,000 estate.

More Than See! By purchasing valuable real estate, followers of Father Divine have shown people that their group is more than just another unorthodox religious sect.

The American public was overwhelmed when in 1940 exchequer of the greeting, "Peace, It's Wonderful," bought for \$550,000 the 250-room Riviera Hotel, leading hotel in Newark, N. J. Some 10 white female followers brought the money in 5, 10, and 20-dollar bills.

It took the entire staff of a Newark bank a full day to count the cash. It was all there, Father Divine did not sign the deed; rather he reserved that privilege for some 500 of his devoted followers.

"I do not personally own anything," he says.

This admission of a lack of personal ownership does not mean that the religious leader is in want. On the contrary he has a well-stocked wardrobe of pin-stripe, double-breasted business suits and black-and-white sport oxfords.

For his transportation, he has several black, glistening \$6,500 limousines.

Other property listed under his followers' names includes: The Lorraine Hotel, Tracy Hotel, a converted YMCA, and the Divine Hotel, all in Philadelphia; a church building and a home for the aged in Newark; the Brigantine Hotel and golf course at Atlantic City, and the now famous Krum Elbow "Promised Land" opposite the Roosevelt family estate at Hyde Park, N. Y.

Controls Farm Property Father Divine also controls, through followers, with such poetic names as Ruth Love, Eternal Light, Obedience Perfect, much farm property in New Jersey and New York, all purchased with cash.

Noted personalities have recognized his influence. The late President Franklin D. Roosevelt, in reply to a message sent to him by Father Divine on behalf of peace, once said:

"It is my conviction that all people under the threat of war today pray that peace may be made before, rather than after the war."

Organized in the early 1920's, the religion of Father Divine first attracted adherents by serving free banquets in a converted house at Sayville, Long Island.

Although he never charged for these meals, donations were accepted as the diners left the hall, soon the hungry followers swallowed Divine's doctrine and became his staunch supporters.

He later moved his headquarters to Harlem. Here he soon became and to some 1,500 persons and proprietor of 25 restaurants, 6 groceries, 10 barber shops, 10 cleaning shops and 20 trucking wagons.

In 1942, Father Divine began having his troubles in Harlem. Many former followers, who had turned over their belongings, were beginning to demand a refund. Court suits made life in Harlem difficult for him so he moved his headquarters to Philadelphia, where they now are.

In 1946, he married Miss Edna Rose Ritchings, a 21-year-old white Canadian. He has always insisted that his marriage to his "spotless virgin bride" is symbolical and unconsummated.

## "Gloomy Dean" Cites Success Fundamentals

BROOKLYN (ANP)—Placing importance on the fundamental things of life rather than the incidental things was advocated for success by Dr. Gordon Hancock, "The Gloomy Dean" of Virginia Union University, New Year's Day at Zion Baptist Church.

Speaking at the annual Emancipation Service of the Ministers' Alliance and the Baptist Pastors' Union—the noted Richmond, Va., pastor, writer, scholar and traveler, listed seven fundamentals needed and their opposing incidentals, which are most unnecessary. They were:

1. Honesty as against scheming.
2. Hard work as against ease.
3. Ruggedness as against softness.
4. Self-reliance as against dependence.
5. Self-sacrifice as against self-indulgence.
6. Suffering for a cause as against shirking.
7. Fear of God as against self-sufficiency.

## Pfc. E. F. Brakes' Funeral Rites Held At Peru

PERU—Funeral services were held in the Eikenberry Funeral Home on Monday morning for Pfc. Edward F. Brakes, age 24, who was killed in action in Korea last Sept. 11. Rev. Ralph Jackson, pastor of Wayman AME Church, and Rev. W. Lawshe officiated.

Pfc. Brakes, the foster son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jimmerson, entered the service in October, 1950, and had been overseas only three months when he was killed. He was born July 11, 1927, at Mayfield, Ky., son of Thomas and Anna Brakes.

In addition to his mother, who lives at Graves, Ky., and his foster parents, Pfc. Brakes is survived by a sister, Mrs. Katherine Woods, Tacoma, Wash.

The local American Legion Post was in charge of graveside services in Mt. Hope cemetery.



RINGING IN THE NEW: Wesleen Foster, young Los Angeles actress, left, greeted the first day of 1952 with the world famous singer, Paul Robeson, and his niece, right, Ethel Hendrick, Philadelphia, at the Gothamites celebration in New York. Robeson is in retirement since the U. S. State Department refused him permission to travel abroad.

## Cornerstone Laid for New York \$22 Million Housing Project

NEW YORK (ANP)—In an impressive ceremony last week the public housing administrator, Commissioner John Taylor Eagar, and other local public officials laid the cornerstone for the 1,523-family St. Nicholas Houses at 236 W. 129th st.

The project is one of those being constructed under the low-income Taft-Henderson-Wagner Housing Act of 1949.

The building in which the cornerstone was laid is expected to be completed this spring. Immediately after the ceremony, the housing authority began receiving tenant applications for the St. Nicholas project.

The slum clearance operation, to be built at a cost of close to \$22,000,000, will have 15 buildings, 152 apartments, and a population estimated at 5,928. Base rent will include gas and electricity, and range from \$26 for three rooms to \$32 for six rooms a month. Two-person families must have an income of no higher than \$2,400 a year, while the ceiling for families of five or more is \$3,000.

When completed, these towering buildings (13 stories in height) will give that part of Seventh avenue hard by the Lafayette Theater a strange new look. Harlem residents are happy that the new housing planned will improve conditions in the area, and eliminate many of the fire traps in which they have been forced to live for years.

## Taylor Trains Golden Glovers At Evansville

EVANSVILLE—Art Taylor, basketball coach and head of the physical education program at Lincoln high school is preparing a group of boys for the Golden Gloves tournament.

The former Indianapolis schoolman was a prominent Golden Glover in Chicago in the 1930's. He was twice selected on the Chicago team, coached by Barney Ross for its inter-city bouts with New York. He also fought in the International Golden Gloves bouts.

## LIBERIA'S INAUGURATION MARKS PROGRESS OF NATION

By CLAUDE A. BARNETT

MONROVIA, Liberia (ANP)—In very impressive ceremonies which began at 4 a. m. with the firing of a gun from Fort Norris and ended past midnight with the inaugural ball, the Republic of Liberia on Jan. 7 installed the reelected William V. S. Tubman as the nation's president and William R. Tolbert, Jr., as vice-president.

The orderly elections and governmental activity and planning leading to this ceremony were in contrast to the early days of Liberia more than a century ago, when it was struggling to establish itself as a free nation.

In those early days, the Negroes from the United States who settled the country were in constant warfare with the natives. The nation's leaders experimented with several forms of government before arriving at a constitution similar to the famed American document.

Today, the African natives and the American-Liberians work harmoniously and peacefully together for the progress of their country.

When Joseph J. Roberts was installed in 1848 as Liberia's first president, the ceremony was hardly noticed by the rest of the world.

President Tubman, now beginning his second term, is the nation's 19th executive leader.

Attending his inauguration were diplomats representing government heads from every corner of the globe. Included were four persons, three of them Negro, from the United States representing President Harry S. Truman.

This delegation was headed by Edward R. Dudley, American ambassador to Liberia. It included Mrs. Mary McLeod Bethune, considered the United States' top Negro woman leader; Carl Murphy, publisher of the Afro-American newspapers with offices in Baltimore, Md., and Maj. Gen. James S. Stowell of the Air Force.

Liberia's Constitution Liberia operates on a constitution of 1847, first published officially in March, 1948. It opens with a Declaration of Rights which incorporates the basic principles of American's famed Bill of Rights, as well as other basic rights of the American Constitution and those announced in the American Declaration of Independence.

He boxed first as a lightweight and then a heavyweight.

While a student at Coe College, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Taylor coached the Cedar Rapids Gazette Golden Gloves team for four years. During that time he succeeded in placing four boys on the Chicago team.

The Liberian legislature consists of Senators, two from each country, elected for six-year terms, and a House of Representatives, elected according to population for four-year terms. These bodies have similar duties to those in America.

The constitution also provides for a President and a Supreme Court. President Tubman in 1944 was elected for an eight-year term.

One special provision of the constitution declares that only persons of Negro heritage may become citizens of Liberia.

Otherwise Liberian laws, both judicially and constitutionally, follow American law in practice.

## Jo Baker Will Not Reply to Attack By Edith Sampson

PHILADELPHIA (ANP)—Josephine Baker has issued a call for unity of all Negroes in their struggle for equality in the U. S. A. and throughout the world. Asked for a comment on a statement made in Paris a few days ago by Edith Sampson, criticizing the Negro star for her denunciations of American racism, Miss Baker said she would not engage in a public controversy with Mrs. Sampson.

"I think it is most important that Negroes be united at this time," she said. "I do not intend to engage in a public discussion with Mrs. Sampson now. Our strength lies in unity. It would be ruinous to our people's cause if we started fighting among ourselves."

Mrs. Sampson, former alternate U. S. delegate to the UN General Assembly, and currently touring European countries on a State Department mission, said in Paris that she was tired of hearing Josephine Baker "malign the United States and praise France for its handling of race problems."

She described French colonialism as "a blot on the world conscience today."

Miss Baker stated that she has for years supported the various independence movements in the French colonies. "I am against exploitation and colonialism everywhere," she said. She added that she is fighting racial discrimination wherever it exists.

forthcoming Academy Award presentation, and here is the latest information on this colossal event, which may bring out another septa "Oscar" winner, to add to honors won by Hattie McDaniel and the late Jimmy Baskette.

Some 484 motion pictures will be eligible for Academy Award consideration this year. It was announced by Charles Brackett, president of the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences.







# Two Rival KKK Groups Seeking Members in Florida

BY  
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## TAKES —AND— RETAKES OF NEWS OF PLACES AND PEOPLE

INDIANA HOUSEHOLDERS passed the million mark sometime in the 1940's and recently the U.S. Census Bureau reported its 1950 count showed 1,109,314 households in the state of Indiana. The bureau defined a household as any house or apartment in which a family or an individual lives and can cook a meal. Therefore you may conclude that war veterans with families, medals and maimed bodies living in trailers or trailer-camps, here, Kokomo, Oskosh, Walla Walla, and elsewhere—are not householders.

**CAMP ATTERBURY, IND.**—is one of eight great U.S. Army posts under recent fire of the U.S. Senate Armed Services Preparedness Subcommittee. Flagrant, inexcusable and indefensible waste of manpower is charged against the army posts by the Senate group headed by Sen. Lyndon B. Johnson (Dem., Tex.). The waste of manpower, the Senate committee charged, involved repeated training, flagrant racial segregation and discrimination, and failure of the posts to follow the army's new program of equality of treatment and opportunity.

**PETER C. REILLY**, nationally known Hoosier industrialist, philanthropist and prominent Catholic layman, died here last Friday night. Mr. Reilly, age 82, was the founder and president of the Reilly Tar & Chemical Company. He was born in Providence, R.I., Jan. 12, 1869, and attended LaSalle Academy.

He was a nationally known figure in the coal tar processing industry, starting in New York in 1886 with the Mica Roofing Company. He came to this city in 1895 as the representative or local manager of the New York firm, and five years later formed his own firm. At the time of his death, the Reilly Tar & Chemical Company had 15 plants throughout the United States.

Mr. Reilly developed several inventions, among them a process for the complete distillation of tar. He was known throughout the nation in industrial circles for his ability to reclaim an ailing business enterprise. Employing many thousands of workers in what might have been called a heavy industry, Mr. Reilly knew thousands of laborers through the years. He was widely known and acclaimed by Negro people of this community.

**JAMES M. SPINNING**, superintendent of public schools of Rochester, N.Y., has banned the children's book "Little Black Sambo," from the public school libraries after a protest by the local NAACP. Thus, regardless of the prompting protest—for every action against the spirit of Christian culture and a democratic way of life, some type of reaction is continually unfolding over the land that was ordained as a "new order of human affairs."

**WILLIAM FEATHER**, writing in "The Imperial Zinc Magazine," notes a search is being made for a word to take the place of "capitalism." He observes, "Some say that capitalism is in disrepute in most of the world outside the U.S.A."

Several phrases are noted which might take the place of the word "capitalism." But the writer admits that these may not portray the dynamic way of life we have inherited from the Founding Fathers of Our Republic.

We say (this columnist) the letter and spirit of the U.S. Constitution, if fully venerated, afford to no end forever a "stentorian sanction" of the word "capitalism."

**DR. CHAS. S. JOHNSON**, internationally known educator, author and president of Fisk University, is alarmed over the "serious and critical moral climate which is causing confusion among youth." He charged that part of the responsibility can be charged to the conspicuously bad example set by persons in high places in business and government.

In further observations Dr. Johnson listed the home, the school and church as the three sources from which young people get their sense of values and morals. We observe that too many opportunities are afforded to machine-age youths to pick the wrong type of idealistic patterns (in people).

However, despite competition of other interests, if the homes afford the proper and sustained influences over our machine-age children—we need not fear "the moral climate in high places."

ments of the future." Speaking on "Man's Synthetic Future," Dr. Adams predicted before nearly 10,000 of the nation's top men of science that men will be cured of any ailment by a variety of drugs and medicines, and be happy and kittenish at 100 years of age.

Again he predicted more effective farming of land and the seas; clothing made from coal and oil, and the heating of homes by using storage of the sun's energy. The famed scientist did not say in what decade or century "these things shall be"; but if he had lived 200 years before Galileo and predicted the telephone, radio, television, supersonic-speed plane, electric light or any of a score of other inventions of the automotive age—such sorcery would have cost the great scientist his life. Surely he must be delighted that he did not live in the "four-cornered world" in which Galileo was flogged for announcing that the earth was round.

**JOHN B. SPORE** and **ROBERT F. COCKLIN**, writing in the current issue of "The Reporter Magazine," New York, say the elimination of segregation in the U.S. Army is far from complete, but results thus far have been significant. "It has given the Negro soldier a sense of intimate membership in the Army of the United States. It has wiped from the conscience of white soldiers the feeling of moral guilt that segregation inflicted on what is, after all, the Army of the United States. And it has wrested from the enemies of democracy a sharp propaganda weapon."

"The Reporter Magazine" article says that possibly the most important lesson learned by the U.S. Army in Korea is that mixed units of white and Negro soldiers make stronger fighting teams than segregated units.

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Dear Sir:  
The last "flow of soul and feast of reason" participated in by your friends, Ling Foo and E. Z. Brees, took place in "Easy Breezy's" apartment above the "Reclaimed Apparel Store." On account of the affable spirits attending the waning holiday season I was invited along.

We people of Oriental endowment are not immune to surprises gratifying or deplorable. However, "Easy Breezy's" apartment is, "you say, 'the berries.'" The appointments generally are meticulous, bordering on what one might anticipate on entering the living quarters of a retired resourceful after traveling the apartment, unique in reflections of the unaffected fine feelings of a connoisseur, I understand more fully and appreciate the unceasing affinity of the two men. Of course it goes without saying that they traveled together for more than two decades over the world with the "greatest circus on the earth."

"Easy Breezy" was the "gentleman's gentleman" to the "first lord of the circus world" and "Mr. Foolin" was the steward of his household-on-rails or elsewhere.

But all these things you have known long ago. Otherwise the subject of their communion again was politics, social justice and the war (crusade to free the people of Asia). Heretofore "Mr. Foolin" has contended that organized labor should have its own candidate for president and "Easy Breezy" went along with him on the idea. Now "Easy Breezy" is opposed to organized labor having its own candidate. He said, "A wise man changeth." Whereas "Mr. Foolin" said, "Most of the sorrows of a long-suffering humanity have stemmed not out of the action of fools, but changes made unwisely by the world's wise men."

Undaunted "Easy Breezy" ventured, "It is a poor rule that works only one way."

But having the last word "Foolin" said, "Such a rule might be true of politics; because our (two-party) political system has worked only one way since the days when Mrs. Wiggs discovered the Cabage Patch."

Very truly yours,  
(WU CHENG) JAMES CHENG WU

## G. W. Carver Day Observed In 10 States

**NEW YORK (ANP)**—Some 10 governors and one mayor proclaimed Jan. 5 as George Washington Carver Day, in honor of the eminent Tuskegee Institute scientist.

They were:  
Adlai E. Stevenson, governor of Illinois; Arthur B. Langlie, governor of Washington; Theodore R. McKeldin, governor of Maryland; Frederick G. Payne, governor of Maine; Okely L. Patterson, governor of West Virginia; Elbert N. Carvel, governor of Delaware; Sid McMath, governor of Arkansas.  
Also Dan Thornton, governor of Colorado; Johnston Murray, governor of Oklahoma; and John

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# UN Blasts South Africa On Segregation Issue



**NEW JERSEY GROUP ATTENDS HARRY T. MOORE'S RITES:** Shown at the New York Airport on New Year's Eve are members of the party of delegates who attended the funeral of Harry T. Moore at Mims, Fla. The delegates include both white and Negro civic, labor and church leaders. Shown above (left to right) Leon Straus, Fur Workers Union; John Holton, Philadelphia, CRC; Murray Brown, Rev. J. Henry Patten, Baptist Ministers Conference; James Malloy, NLC; Rosa Graham, Russell Meek, Frances Smith, ALP; Earl Conrad, Thomas Jones, Brooklyn attorney; Elaine Ross, CRC; and Belle Baylison.

# South Africa Bans Cleric Champion of Natives in UN

**PARIS, FRANCE (ANP)**—The United Nations last week released new fury upon a British missionary who championed the rights of several South West African tribes before the United Nations.

The wrath of the United Nations came to a head when it informed the Rev. Michael Scott that if he returns to that part of the world he will be refused admission.

Rev. Scott, since 1946 has been the spokesman in the United Nations of the tribal chiefs who oppose the annexation of South West Africa by the United Nations.

South West Africa, according to a recent ruling of the International Court of Justice, still has international status as a former League of Nations mandate and cannot legally be absorbed by unilateral action.

**Malan Blasts U. N.**  
Last month Prime Minister Daniel F. Malan accused the U. N. of having committed "aggression" against his regime. The Union government's chief executive said that segregation of the tribes in reserves was vital to protect them "against the United Nations" and charged that Rev. Scott was a "well-known and fanatical foreigner and agitator."

What especially irked Prime Minister Malan was the invitation extended by the Trusteeship Committee to the chiefs whom Rev. Scott represents. The committee asked Pretoria to facilitate the chiefs' travel. Instead the Prime Minister ordered his delegation to work out of the committee and out of the plenary meeting of the General Assembly. No travel documents were issued to the chiefs and the committee heard Rev. Scott instead.

A few days ago, Rev. Scott said, he received a letter dated Dec. 19 from Pretoria in which the secretary of the interior of South Africa said that should he present himself "at any of the Union ports of entry" he would be "refused admission."

Lodge, governor of Connecticut, and David L. Lawrence, mayor of Pittsburgh.

The National Achievement Clubs, Inc., sponsored Carver Day in recognition of the many benefits realized from the scientist's work.

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## Phi Delta Kappas Honor 'Trenton 6' Case Attorneys

**RICHMOND, Va. (ANP)**—The presentation of a citation to attorneys for the "Trenton Six," the passing of resolutions, and the election of two new officers were among the achievements of the 28th anniversary convocation of Phi Delta Kappa, national professional teachers' sorority, held here Dec. 26-30.

Mrs. Marian H. Bluit, supreme basileus of the sorority, presented the citation for distinguished service to Atty. J. Mercer Burrell, Newark, N. J., counsel for Phi Delta Kappa, at the opening meeting held at St. Philip's P. E. Church.

Burrell accepted the citation for himself and the other five lawyers. Other honorees are:

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**NEW YORK HOLDS MEMORIAL TO HARRY T. MOORE:** Shown above William R. Hood, right, secretary of Ford Local 600, UAW-CIO, Detroit, is greeted by Ex-Congressman Vito Marcantonio of New York. They attended the monster memorial to Harry T. Moore, Florida educator, held in New York, Jan. 2, protesting the bombing of the Florida NAACP leader.

**PARIS, FRANCE (ANP)**—The United Nations made an effort to secure a universal declaration of human rights last week when a special political committee condemned South Africa for discrimination against natives and persons of Indian origin.

By a 42 to 2 vote, with 13 abstentions, the committee adopted a resolution calling for the suspension of South Africa's group areas act, which segregates and discriminates against the native peoples of South Africa.

**UN Charter Violated**  
While the United States abstained on certain parts of the resolution but voted for it as a whole, it went contrary to warnings by some delegates that it violated the U. N. charter by interfering with matters wholly under the domestic jurisdiction of a state. South Africa and Australia voted against the resolution.

The resolution refers to the Universal Declaration of Human Rights adopted by the assembly in 1948, and implies that South Africa's segregation legislation is invalid because it contravenes the human rights resolution.

Dr. Hector David Castro of El Salvador refused to support the resolution on the ground that it would be unfair to condemn South Africa and ignore "the absolute denial of human rights" in Russia.

**"Millions of Victims"**  
Koli S. Tamba of Liberia implored "moral responsibility" to Britain to intercede with the South African government for the protection of the Indian population. He said the ancestors of the Indian nationals were persecuted by the British government of South Africa to go there, and were promised "treatment on terms of equality with other British subjects."

Tamba charged that "millions of native Africans" as well as 300,000 persons of Indian origin are victims of South Africa's segregation policy.

The resolution declares that a policy of racial segregation apartheid is based on doctrines of racial discrimination. It declares that South Africa's group areas act directly contravenes previous resolutions of the assembly. It also recommended a three member committee to assist South Africa, India, Pakistan in negotiations for a settlement of the dispute.

**Bertha Pettiford**

Funeral services for Mrs. Bertha Pettiford, age 65, R. R. No. 87, Greenwood, Ind., will be held at the South Calvary Baptist Church Thursday, Jan. 10. She died at her home Sunday, Jan. 6.

Mrs. Pettiford was a native of Cincinnati. She had lived in Indianapolis 56 years. She attended School No. 12 and was a member of South Calvary church.

Survivors include her husband, Clarence Pettiford; a son, Roy Perkins; two sisters, Mrs. Nellie Parker and Mrs. Hester Meredith; and two brothers, William Perkins, Marion and Harry Perkins, Los Angeles.

# CIO Leaders Worried By Discrimination

By GEORGE F. McCRAY  
For ANP

Recent reports of discrimination in certain local CIO unions are worrying high-ranking CIO officials.

The reports on discrimination were made by such excellent authorities on union business as CIO President Philip Murray and Clifford S. Townsend at the national CIO convention in New York in October.

Philip Weightman, a member of the staff of the CIO Political Action Committee, and Joe Germano, district director of the United Steelworkers Union, spoke likewise in addressing the Illinois State Convention of the CIO in December.

CIO leaders complain that it is not being made clear that what is said today is just another operation in their long fight for equal treatment for all workers. They say they must constantly look for new ways to keep alive in the minds of old members and to instill in the minds of new members the idea that Negro workers must have the same rights and privileges as all other workers. Without this constant "educational activity," a nationally known Negro union leader explained, many white union members begin to slip away from CIO principles of equality.

**Type of Discrimination**  
The type of discrimination

# Growth of Klan in Fla. Boasted by KKK Head

**MIAMI (ANP)**—Despite the Christmas night murder and bombing of Mr. and Mrs. Harry T. Moore (he was an NAACP leader) or maybe because of this attack, the Ku Klux Klan in Florida has stepped up its recruiting of new members.

The two factions of the Klan in this resort state are gaining more new members than ever, according to their leaders. The head of one group has announced himself as a candidate for governor of the state.

Both groups claim to be 100 percent white Protestants, and both deny responsibility for the fatal bombing in Mims. All this is in a state in which 25 percent population are Negro. Around Miami there are 4,000 Jews.

Recent bombing attacks have been directed at Negroes, Jews, and Catholics, none of whom may hold membership in the Klan.

**Two Rival KKK Groups**  
Despite their agreement on principles, the two Klans are rival groups. The Southern Knights of the Ku Klux Klan is led by Bill Hendrix, Tallahassee, the man who says he will be Florida's next governor. The Knights of the Ku Klux Klan is headed by W. H. Brough of Wildwood.

Here is how Bill Griffin of Tampa, Fla., who supports Brough, is 60 years old, and claims Klan membership since 1913—describes the aims of the KKK. "We've got nothing against Jews and Negroes. I've got Jew and Catholic clients (he's a detective) who come in here and talk to me."

"And the nigger in Florida has no better friend in the world than a good klansman—that is if he is a real 100 percent American nigger who stays in his place. I hate that kind of nigger, we'll protect him."

Griffin, who told his story to a white reporter, Don Whitehead,

claims that the Knights of the KKK is associated with the Association of Georgia Klans, said to be the "original" Ku Klux Klan in the United States.

Here is how he explained the naming of the Georgia Klan on the attorney general's list of subversive groups:

"I can't understand it unless it's somebody up there in Washington who is prejudiced."

Griffin said he would rather be a klansman than President. He commented:

"We stand for a lot of things. We stand for white supremacy, 100 percent Americanism, the United States Constitution, the Declaration of Independence, and every stripe of the American flag."

**Fight For What's Right**  
"I told a crowd of boys the other night 'I'd rather be a klansman than be President.' I still say that. A man who likes to stand on his own hind feet and fight for what's right."

"We're signing up new members all the time. We investigate every one of them to make sure he'll be all right. But that other crowd, why they've got one full-blooded Italian, and he's a klookard, too. Can you imagine it? We don't take Italians. Portuguese or Polacks." (Italians, Poles, and Portuguese are usually Roman Catholics by faith.)

Hendrix thinks about the same as does Griffin except that he has a rival group. He once signed a statement denouncing such "hate movements" as the NAACP, the B'nai B'rith, and the National Council of Churches of Christ in the United States.

Although the wearing of hoods in public and public Klan ceremonies have been banned by state law and numerous local communities, the KKK still functions openly in this state.

The Klan bypasses most laws because of the word, public. They can hold their cross burnings and other rituals on private property with the permission of the owners. This they apparently do.

# Look - rape Case Noted In Top N. C. News Stories

**CHAPEL HILL, N. C. (ANP)**—Rated by North Carolina newsmen as the top news story in the state during 1951 was the federal court decision opening the University of North Carolina to Negroes.

This story which broke in Richmond, Va., where US Circuit Court of Appeals ruled that the University of North Carolina must admit colored persons to its law school, broke a custom which had lasted more than 150 years.

Negroes argued in the now historic case that they were being denied their constitutional rights because facilities offered at the state Negro school were not equal to those at the University of North Carolina. Despite arguments by the university that Negroes were getting their legal rights with training at North Carolina College the federal court ruled in favor of Negroes.

Another story rated among the top 10 was the "Look-Rape Case," in which a farmer, Mack Ingram, was accused of attacking a young white girl although he never came within 70 feet of her.

In this case, which was voted fifth place by the newsmen, the

state charged that Ingram had "leered" at the teen-age girl and chased her across a cornfield one day last summer.

**Account of Case**

Ingram's account of the case is as follows:  
He was approaching the farmhouse where the girl lived with her father and brothers. He wanted to borrow some tools. When he saw the girl she was dressed in "blue jeans" and he mistook her for a boy.

However, before he came within 70 feet of her, she moved away and he turned around and went home. He had forgotten the incident when later that evening the sheriff came to his house and arrested him.

The court's conviction aroused protests and demands for a new trial from newspapers throughout the country.

At a later trial, two Negro and eight white jurors voted for a conviction, but two other Negroes held out for acquittal. Hence, a mistrial was called.

# African Writes Book on Native Communications

By CARTER JEWEL

**GREENSBORO, N. C. (ANP)**—The world's first book revealing the secrets of the ancient African systems of communications will be published in 12 months. It was disclosed here last week.

The author is Dr. Akkiki N. Nwabongo, a graduate of Oxford University, London, and former teacher at A. & T. College. He was visiting the school for the Christmas holidays when he announced his forthcoming multi-lingual reference work on his native land.

The book, to be published by the Buffalo (N. Y.) Museum, will reveal secrets of how flowers, leaves, grass, seeds, twigs, clay, brads, stones and animal hair are used to transmit jungle messages, the author said.

Dr. Nwabongo, now a resident of Brooklyn, recently returned from a tour of Europe and Africa in search of data and specimens. He reported that white museums and libraries had no information on his project. He brought back approximately 1,000 pictures and samples from the field.

The look will assemble information handed down orally for thousands of years, he said. The data will be classified and described in English, Latin, German, French, in the tongues of Rutoro or Rynskitara.

Dr. Nwabongo is a native of the Kindom of Toro in Uganda, East Africa. He grew up in a jungle Eden where the world's largest elephants are found.

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## THE MURDER WAVE CONTINUED IN '51

During the year of 1951 our "no mean city of homes" was treated to numerous murders among Negro people, by Negro people, such as should shock unduly all upright citizens. But while the "Old Year" was passing out (the very last days) a youth of tender years was stabbed fatally in a restaurant in the eastern section of the city.

On the westside of the city, a high school student, popular in various activities at his school was stabbed also in a restaurant. He was reported in a critical condition in a local hospital as we wrote these lines. The total specter is a tragic and unhappy situation for families and kindred spirits of the victims of the killers' urge.

More disturbing to the community generally, the killers in many instances are tried in courts and convicted of manslaughter, and eventually some good citizens feel the Negro public is at a disadvantage in regard to just retribution of the law.

Placing the blame for the undue flare of slayings, shootings and fatal stabbings or cutting scrapes is a difficult matter. But in any instance or through all the days of the year the matter is highly disturbing to the spirit and pride of good citizenry. Therefore we continue to note that good citizens generally should rise up in effective action and challenge the indifference of constituted authority to the recurring flare of slayings among Negro people of our community.

## INDIANA NATIONAL GUARD SCANDAL

The ousting from the Indiana National Guard of Capt. Robert T. Edlin, New Albany war hero who sought to enlist Negroes in his company, has thrown the spotlight on one of the ugliest manifestations of race prejudice in this state.

Despite President Truman's repeated orders to end segregation throughout the Armed Forces—orders which are being carried out in considerable degree on the fighting fronts—the Hoosier National Guard remains rigidly Jim-crow.

And even that is not the worst of it. The "colored" unit of the Indiana Guard has been serving in Korea for almost a year. Thus, as we understand it, there is no unit within the confines of this state which Negro citizens can join.

At a time when all Americans are being rallied to the defense of the nation, and boys are being drafted to fight, bleed and die on the other side of the world, a Hoosier who wants to enlist in this branch of the service is not permitted to do so if his skin is "colored"! How do you like that, Mr. and Mrs. America! What kind of all-out utilization of manpower is that?

The buck for this Dixie-style state of affairs is passed by Adjutant-General Robinson Hitchcock, commander of the Indiana Guard, on to national headquarters in Washington. But there is a peculiar angle to this alleged national policy of segregation in the Guard. Whenever a state has refused to go along with the Jimcrow policy, national headquarters has relented and permitted integration. This has happened, according to our information, in New Jersey, Connecticut, Minnesota and California. Why not Indiana?

(Incidentally, we wonder if our vociferous local "States' Righters" will take up this issue and insist on Indiana being permitted to practice democracy in its National Guard, despite rulings of the "Washington bureaucrats"??) General Hitchcock let the cat out of the bag, we believe, with his reported statement that "I don't think the time is ripe for such a forward step in Indiana." This shows that the Indiana authorities are upholding segregation, regardless of what Washington might decree.

As for the "time is not ripe" philosophy toward integration of the Guard, we believe it is utterly fallacious and is not supported by the people of Indiana as a whole. We have observed before that the time for instituting greater democracy in the Hoosier state is not only "ripe"—it is getting downright overripe!

## OFFICIATING SHOULD BE IMPROVED

One of the weakest points of the game of basketball is the fact that the officials can "make or break" a game by their judgement, or lack thereof, in blowing whistles. This was shown again by the recent South Bend Central-Attucks contest, which in the opinion of many observers was determined by erratic refereeing.

While this newspaper does not believe in "riding" officials, the fact remains that they can spoil a sporting contest for participants and spectators. Therefore an effort should be made to find some method of improving the standards of officiating, especially in Indiana high school basketball which is so important in the life of the communities.

As a start, we suggest that the doors be opened to Negro officials in the hardwood sport. We do not contemplate any rigid assigning of referees by racial standards; nor do we believe that Negroes would not make their share of mistakes. But it seems to us that the appearance of a Negro official now and then might help to remove any racial bias that may linger on in the great Hoosier game.

## LET'S HAVE A BIGGER MARCH OF DIMES

The 1952 March of Dimes sponsored by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis was opened last week, two weeks earlier than in former years. Officials of the National Foundation report four critical years in which the number of polio patients has run ahead of contributions to the March of Dimes.

A total of over 67,800 new and old polio patients received help from the National Foundation in 1951. During the years of 1948-51 over 132,000 cases were treated, and authorities fear an increase in polio patients until polio is conquered. A research program supported by nearly \$14,000,000 in March of Dimes funds is serving the search of the nation's scientists for the cause and cure of polio.

Otherwise the March of Dimes fund has provided 172 scholarships for Negro students in training in the drive against polio. The Tuskegee Institute (Ala.) Polio Center has been granted more than \$2,292,000 (1938-51). Four Negro institutions of higher education have been granted more than \$2,840,000 from funds raised in the March of Dimes.

A continuation of the professional education program for the training of skilled workers to combat polio includes a grant of more than \$310,200 to Meharry Medical College. This is associated with training of medical students in pediatrics, orthopedic surgery and physical medicine. The program of aid in the training of crusaders against the dread disease is too extensive to note here.

However, the fight against polio must be won and



"A CIVIL RIGHTS LAW WILL SHOW THE WORLD WE MEAN WHAT WE SAY."

## MISCELLANEOUS MUSINGS

By T. C. JOHNSON

## RACIAL MINORITIES: THE NEGRO

Negroes are the largest and most pressing American racial minority. Among solutions that have been brought forth for the Negro question are, deportation, miscegenation, segregation and even

extirpation. Thoughtful persons have rejected each for reasons that cannot be gone into here. Nobody knows what the future has in store for us or for the nation because of our presence. The race problem, nevertheless, is fraught with tragic possibilities which few will deny.

Aggressive insistence on rights by a large minority sometimes raises a problem for the majority of the maintenance of its power. Under such circumstances the dominant group often resorts to damaging stereotypes and caricatures of the disadvantaged. Thus prejudicial propaganda in this country has portrayed the Negro as the contented slave, the miserable freedman, the clown, the savage. The mulatto has been represented as deriving all his good qualities from the white people, his bad from the Negro, as having all the bad characteristics of both races, being without the desirable features of either, and as living a most tragic life.

**Misrepresentation**  
There is persistent misrepresentation of colored persons even now. Fortunately, however, Negroes more and more

are challenging all activities whose purpose is to degrade them in the eyes of the world. Such protests are becoming more effective as colored persons advance in education, wealth, status and demands that they be accorded the respect due all human beings. The long almost unopposed effort to destroy all sentiment favorable to the Negro is losing its grip but still is effective. Perhaps we can help in hastening its complete destruction by exhibiting the best that there is in us at all times, in all places, to everyone—not cravenly but with suave manliness.

About 70 percent or ten and a half million Negroes live in the South despite the large numbers that have come North. Not far from 70 percent, or seven and a third million of these Southern Negroes reside in the country and small towns. Many of them own small farms. Some own large plantations and are prosperous, respected citizens. But most of them, along with millions of illiterate or semi-illiterate poor white people, are in a precarious predicament economically, politically and socially.

They, both white and colored, should be pitied rather than condemned on account of their plight. They have been and are the victims of circumstances. There were no public schools in the South until 60 years ago, the great plantation owners wishing to keep the masses of the white people as well as the slaves in ignorance. They hired teachers to instruct their children at home until they were old enough to enter college in

though having the right of choice as to which way they choose to travel.

Thinking God's thoughts will never lead a man astray; this only happens when he tries to evade God and stubbornly follows his own way.

"What do you think?" the people will soon know, because your actions will betray you, no matter where you go. One can't have the mind of Christ and think evil of an innocent brother; any more than one can call himself a Christian, with his mind always in the gutter.

Thoughts rule the world, whether good or bad; will your contributions make it happy or sad?

Let's all start to thinking in terms of moral and spiritual advancement, and in our world we will eventually see high marks of noble achievement.

But mere thinking in terms of material things won't raise our horizons to the proper range; our spiritual sights in particular must not be allowed to sink. Say, my brother, WHAT DO YOU THINK?

progress is being made in research. The National Foundation is leading the fight to protect you from the dread malady in your home and community. More money, more equipment and more trained workers are needed. Your community and state and the nation can fight the battle if you join the March of Dimes.

## VOICE FROM THE GALLERY

By ANDREW W. RAMSEY

## KOREA, POLIO AND FLORIDA

Americans are being taxed to the limit to bring the Korean thing to a victorious conclusion and to stop the spread of world communism, which is regarded as the dread enemy of democracy.

In addition Americans will be asked by the millions during the month of January to contribute to the fund for the war on polio, the crippling disease of American youth.

In spite of grumbling the taxes for the prosecution of the military effort will be paid and other sacrifices will be taken, and without much doubt the expected sum will be contributed to the March of Dimes campaign against polio.

And it is laudable that the American people will rise to the occasion and try to stop the threats, whether real or fancied, to either the nation's existence or the health of its people.

But in fighting these two dangers, we are likely to overlook a greater threat to America, both politically and as far as the national health is concerned, than either Korea or polio. And that overlooked threat is Florida.

## Reviving Confederacy

For Florida represents the neo-Nazi spirit, the spirit of the reviving Confederacy which seeks to pervade America. It was not enough for that state to win the ignominious honor of having the only lynching in the United States for 1951. It also witnessed the brutal shooting down of two Negro prisoners while handcuffed, by a member of the state's gendarmes after the

Supreme Court had ruled they had not been given justice in the trial where they were convicted.

These two events alone were enough to discredit the claims of America for world leadership in the direction of peace and democracy, at they did not satiate the fascist spirit of the Winter Vacation State. This spirit demanded the unprovoked and ruthless bombing of Negro and Catholic churches and Jewish synagogues.

But the climax came when, during the holiday season, the spirit of Judge Lynch went on a rampage and bombed the home of Harry T. Moore, the only paid official of the NAACP in the state, killing Mr. Moore and mortally wounding his wife.

The pitiful thing about all of these goings-on is the fact that they seem to have the blessing of the state government, which has not only failed to make an arrest in any of the cases but has whitewashed the slaughter of Walter Lee Irvin by Sheriff Willis McCall; rejected the legal participation of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People in the Irvin case, and, through its governor, branded Walter White as a "Harlem trouble-maker."

## What To Do?

Negroes over the country are irked by the situation in Florida as are the nation's Catholics and Jews, but the question arises, what they are doing and what they can do about it.

Merely to view the situation with alarm is not sufficient. High resolves never to visit the state of Florida by those living elsewhere, or the migration of Florida Negroes out of the state, will not rectify the situation.

Just as there are ways in which the total population may participate in the effort in Ko-

rea and in the movement to cure polio, so there are ways in which every Negro and every right-thinking American can participate in the eradication of the disease that is Florida's.

Along with your taxes for Korea and your dimes for polio, you can most effectively remedy this most pernicious disease by contributing a dollar or two for the fight to bring democracy and Christianity to the pagan land of Florida.

## Send Your Dollars

You don't have to go to Florida to make your participation felt. Your dollar or your dollars will be used by the NAACP in a campaign (which will be successful) to bring the Florida case out in the open before the Supreme Court, the Justice Department and the Congress of the United States. Already the NAACP has spent thousands of dollars in the opening skirmishes of this war on the Confederate State of Florida, and much of this money has come from the fast-dwindling reserves of the National Association.

Your money is needed and it is needed now, because if the evil is not stopped in Florida it will quickly spread elsewhere, even to Indiana—where it has already cast its shadow before it in the form of Confederate flags and Confederate caps (on sale at Strauss).

Contributions to the NAACP fund can be made locally at the office at 512 North West street, or can be mailed or left at The Recorder office in care of Charles S. Preston, or Andrew W. Ramsey.

By all means pay your taxes, give your support to the drive against polio—but do not forget to sacrifice a dollar or more for the fight against Florida!

## Voice of the People

## MISSING SISTER SOUGHT BY WOMAN IN FORT WAYNE

To The Editor

The Recorder

Dear Sir:

I have a sister Lucille Steel, who was born in Fort Wayne April 29, 1930. The last time I heard of her she was living in Indianapolis. If there is anyone in your city who may know her, or know of her whereabouts, I ask as a favor that you would please inform me.

MRS. MABLE WILLIAMS  
537 E. Wallace St.  
Fort Wayne, Ind.

## THE CHURCH IN THE WORLD TODAY

To The Editor

The Recorder

Dear Sir:

What does the world think of the church today? The answer is found in Matthew 10: 7-8. God is the answer. Where in the Bible would you find a statement about charging to go into the house of God?

There is nothing wrong with singing, for the same angels who sang in the skies over Bethlehem sing to our world today. In our rush after the things of the world today, and in keeping our ears open only to man's ideas, we are unable to catch the music of the choir of Heaven.

Jesus was born in Bethlehem for the redemption of the world and God wants talented speakers in the pulpits. Now the word of the Lord came unto Jonah, saying: "Arise, go to Nineveh that great city and cry against it; for their wickedness is come up before me."

But Jonah fled from his commission and going down to the seaport of Tarshish got mixed up with the world, as he took a ship there. So the shipmaster said unto him, "What meanest thou, O sleeper? Arise, call upon thy God, if so be that God will think upon us, that we perish not." This is what the world is saying today to the church: "Arise, call upon thy God; ye cannot serve God and Mammon, choose you today whom you will serve."

ELYDIA SIMS

## SAYS SINGERS NEED NEW THEME SONG

To The Editor

The Recorder

Dear Sir:

Please publish this note representing the sentiments of fans or followers, and addressed to the Southern Har-

monizers. I am sure all followers of the Southern Harmonizers would appreciate it if the director or directors of this singing group would teach the group some new songs in 1952.

The group might try to learn a new "theme song" because the folk song, "Carry Me Back To Old Virginia," is not fitting for a group of spiritual singers as fine as the Southern Harmonizers. Among all the spiritual songs available I am sure the group could find a better theme song, suited to its program. As a special favor I would ask the group to please forget it has ever heard "Peace in the Valley."

## A FAITHFUL LISTENER

## REWARD FUND IN FLORIDA BOMBING

To The Editor

The Recorder

Dear Sir:

I think a lot of people are taking the bombing in Florida a little too lightly and that we can no longer sit back and wait for the President to do anything about genocide of the Negro people.

So I am enclosing \$1.00 that you might start a local or state reward fund for the murderers of the Florida NAACP leader, Harry T. Moore. It seems to me that President Truman was in Florida about the time of the killing of Samuel Shepherd and the shooting of Walter Lee Irvin. The bombing at Mims, Fla. took place after he left. I wonder if a rumor might have been spread that these things were going to happen and in order to save face against the demands for an anti-lynching bill the President scooted back to Washington.

I think that Indiana should be among the states which have started a reward fund for the arrest and conviction

of the murderers of Harry T. Moore, because a lot of Indiana officials and citizens appear to believe our state should follow the pattern of the South.

But I do not think the pattern will be realized or survive here. However, appreciating the value of real leaders of my people (I am a Negro), I say let us plain people protect them, even with our fortunes and lives.

OSCAR E. BANKS

## VERSES

## A HOUSE DIVIDED

By WILLIAM HENRY HUFF

For ANP

This story's been so often told Till it is looked upon as old As that old Bible on the shelf, But still we hear on every hand That it just simply cannot stand—The house divided—against itself.

It cannot stand.

Whoever thinks it will not fall Needs to reflect and to recall What history sacred and profane Has from the dawn of writing age Recorded on its lasting page, 'Mid tears and oft with crimson stain!

'Twill surely fall.

'Twill surely fall.

United every house must be In truth and in sincerity; Such union must be more than form.

If harmony the house would win The pilots must be those within: Outsiders usher in the storm.

Avoid the storm.

Avoid the storm.

A house divided cannot stand. For it is built on sinking sand. And it must crack and give away. The wind will come and blow it down.

And rain will fall to drench and drown.

A house divided does not pay. It does not pay.

It does not pay.





# Tigers Try County Team; Tournament Next Week

## Hall Hits 23 In Purdue's Big 10 Start

Ernie Hall of Purdue, who was "off" during the Hoosier Classic held recently at Butler Fieldhouse, returned to form Saturday night and paced the Boilermakers to a record 74-64 victory over Wisconsin.

The one-handed sophomore hit 23 points as the Purdue took a flying start in the red-hot Big 10 title race. The combined scores of the two teams tied the record for Wisconsin's fieldhouse.

Notre Dame, meanwhile, went down to defeat at Louisville by a 65-59 score. Joe Bertrand made 7 points for the Irish and Entee Shine 6.

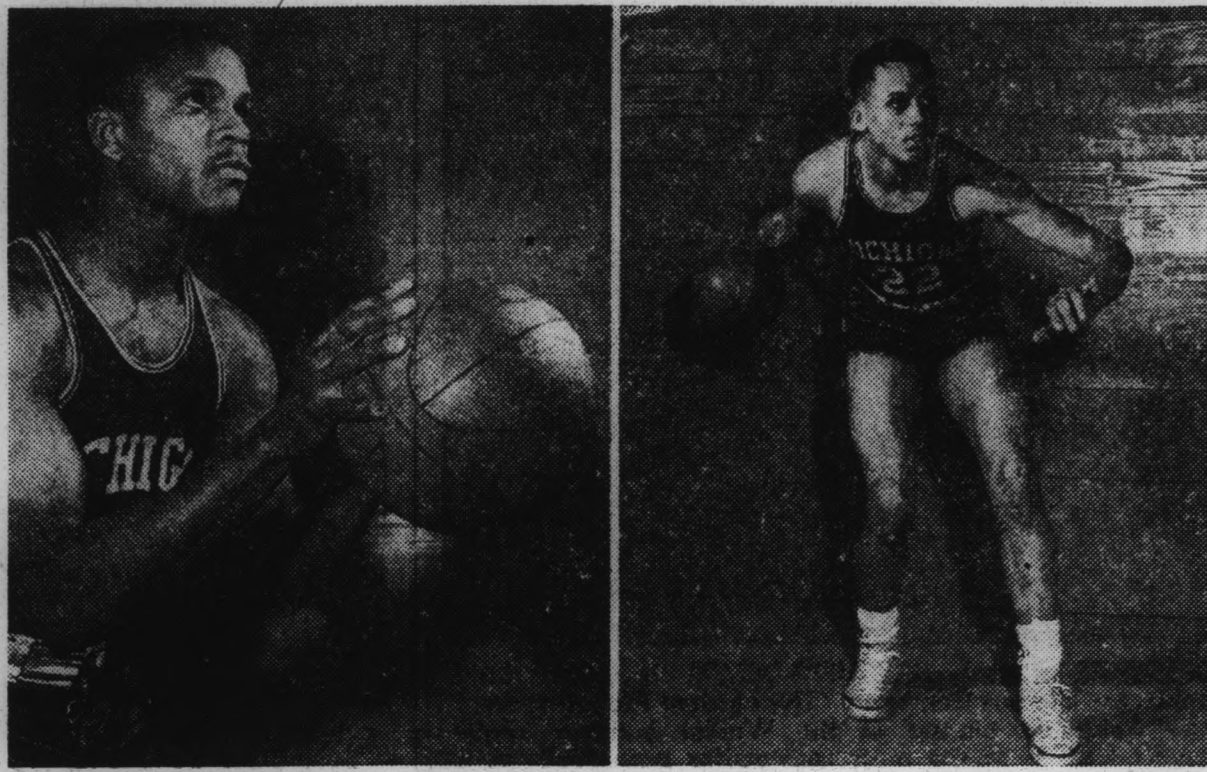
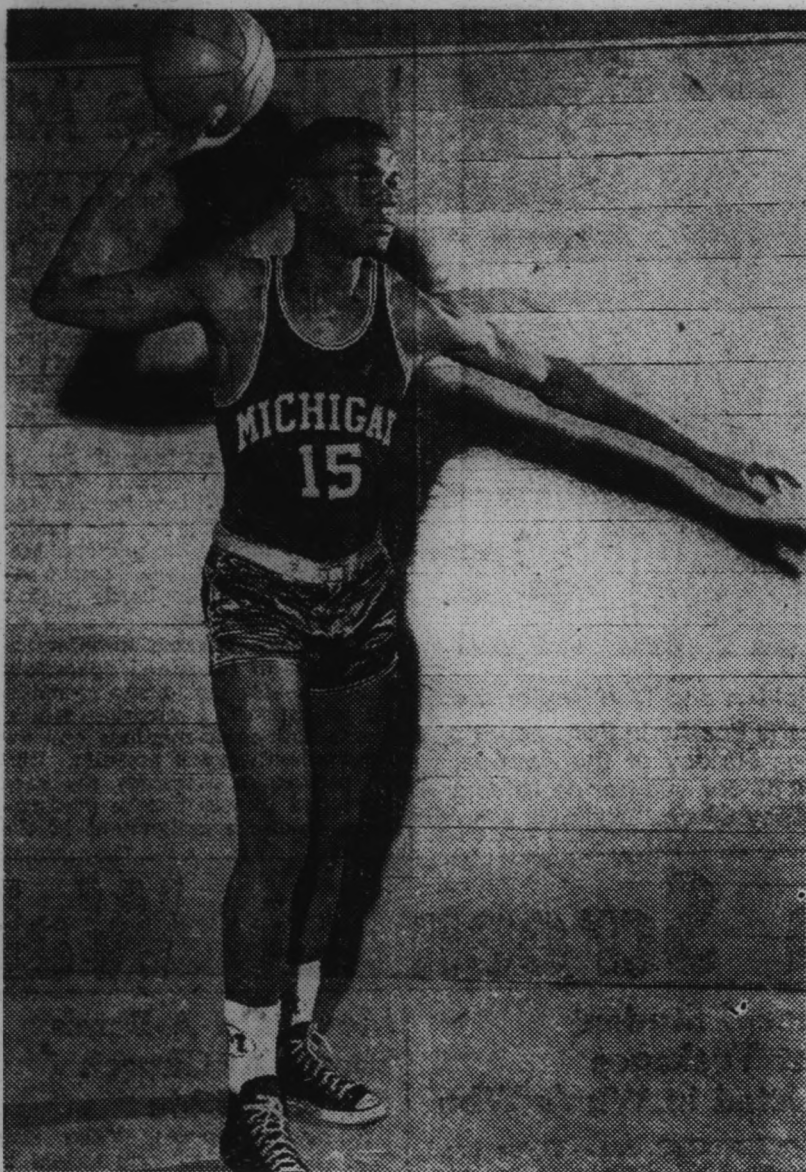
Earlham took a 65-61 overtime tussle from Franklin's Grizzlies. Marion Williams racked up 22 points and Dudley Moore 18 for the Quakers.

## Randy Named Top British Fighter of '51

LONDON (ANP)—Randy Turpin, upset holder of the world middleweight title for several months last year, was voted last week the top British fighter of 1951 by the British Boxing Writers Club.

Turpin was praised for his achievement of upsetting the great Sugar Ray Robinson in London, July 10, to take the 160-pound crown.

Randy is still ranked as the No. 1 challenger for Robinson's title.



JEWELL AND TEAMMATES: Bob Jewell (15), center of last year's Crispus Attucks state finalists and winner of the Trester Award, is continuing to make history this season with the University of Michigan basketball team. The 6'5" freshman has seen considerable service as a replacement at center and guard. Playing against Don Schlundt of Indiana last Saturday, he hit a jump shot and a tip-in to aid a Michigan rally. The Hoosiers won, 58-46.

Also pictured are two of Jewell's teammates, as the Wolverines have gone interracial in a big way. Drawing a bead on the basket is Don Eaddy, a swift, sharpshooting freshman guard from Grand Rapids, Mich. He stands 5'11" and weighs 163.

Other player is John Codwell (22), 6'1" forward from Houston, Texas. A sophomore, he has speed and cat-like agility under the basket. He weighs 190. Following the path opened by Bill Garrett at Indiana University, sepia cagers are now making Big 10 and other leading teams in increasing numbers. Michigan is first Conference squad to have three Negro players.

## Decatur Central Friday; 4 Teams to Vie at Tech

By CHARLES S. PRESTON

For the first time this season, Crispus Attucks' Tigers were to try out some Marion County opposition on Friday. Said opposition was to be provided by Decatur Central.

While taking the measure of city opponents, it is always well to remember that the county schools play in that sectional tournament too—and sometimes walk off with the crown.

## Crowmen Toy With Rossville

The Tigers had little trouble making Rossville their eighth victim (as against one defeat) at the Clinton County town last Saturday. The score was 57 to 38.

There's something different about every game, and this time it was Hallie Bryant's riding the bench. Hallie played only the first quarter, 1½ minutes of the second stanza and 2½ minutes at the end. He scored a mere 5 points.

Coach Ray Crowe said there was no special point to the benching except to "give some of the other boys a chance."

Thus some not-so-familiar names were seen in the scoring column, with Bobby "Be-Bop" Jones, a sophomore, getting 6 points and Rudolph Adams 4.

William "Dill" Gardner, of course, paced the point-making with 17.

Cleveland Harp started at center, and racked up an encouraging 4 fielders. Crowe has been making considerable use of a lineup which sees Bryant and Gardner at forwards, Harp at center, and Bailey Robertson and Bob Parrish at guards.

This brings back memories of last year's team, with Harp taking the place of Bob Jewell. It gets more height into the Tiger lineup. It might prove a very good deal, if the 6'5½" junior can fill the shoes of last year's Trester Medalist.

At any rate, Crowe said he would start those same five against Decatur.

The contest was to be played at Decatur Central, which is south on Road 67 to High School Road, turn left a quarter-mile.

The Attucks-Dunkirk game, originally scheduled for Saturday of this week, has been postponed to Feb. 16 at the Tech gym, Athletic Director Lon Watford disclosed.

In another schedule shift to provide greater seating capacity, the Attucks-Sacred Heart-Manual-Deaf School tourney has been moved ahead to next Thursday at Friday—Jan. 17 and 18. It also will be held at Tech.

The second session of the 1952 Golden Gloves boxing championship competition was slated to be held at the Armory on Friday, Jan. 11, beginning at 8 p. m.

The victory of Andrew Walker, Bland Boxing Club, over James Hayden of the Senate Avenue Y-MCA in a hard-punching scrap featured the opening session last week.

Walker won the decision in the 160-pound class bout, but Hayden stayed right in there till the end and floored his opponent in the final round.

Results

112 Pounds—Melvin Allen, Bland Boxing Club, defeated Bobby Suddath, Greenfield Boys' Club.

112—Johnny Martin, Bland's, defeated B. C. Morman, Ray Street Community Center.

126—Leo Carter, Senate Avenue Y, defeated Benny Banayote, Bland's.

146—Charles Allen, Bland's, stopped Jim McReynolds, Garfield Community Center, in the 1st round.

126—Richard Fulk, Bland's, KO'd Charles Steinhauer, Garfield, in the 2nd round.

135—Lon Williams, Bland's, stopped Larry Miller, Greenfield, in the 1st round.

126—Don Redd, Ray Street, defeated James Scruggs, Bland's.

135—Cleo Horton, Bland's, KO'd Raymond Thurman, Ray Street, in the 1st round.

135—Edward Neblett, Bland's, defeated Robert Young, unattached.

135—Jimmy Anderson, Bland's, stopped Paul Lucas, Garfield, in the 1st round.

135—Charles Gamble, Bland's, KO'd James Cox, unattached, in the 1st round.

147—Gene Carrell, Bland's, stopped Morris Hawkins, unattached, in the 1st round.

147—Lee Parker, Bland's, stopped Bobby Sims, Ray Street, in the 1st round.

147—Don Horning, Bland's, stopped Ken Brown, Senate Avenue Y, in the 2nd round.

147—Bernard Lyons, Bland's, KO'd Howard Wickliff, unattached, in the 2nd round.

160—Sault Fox, Senate Avenue Y, stopped David Felner, unattached, in the 2nd round.

160—Theodore Cumberland, Senate Avenue Y, defeated David Sweetman, Garfield.

160—Andrew Walker, Bland's, defeated James Hayden, Senate Avenue Y.

## Hornets Stung

ATTUCKS (57)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Bryant, f.	2	1	1	5
Gardner, f-c	7	3	2	17
Jones, f	3	0	2	6
Adams, f	1	2	0	4
Hickman, f	0	0	1	0
Harp, c	4	0	2	3
Robertson, g	4	1	2	9
Parrish, g	3	0	3	6
Covington, g	1	0	1	2
Posley, g	0	0	1	0
Totals	25	7	15	57

ROSSVILLE (38)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Wampler, f	7	3	4	17
Tharp, f	3	0	2	6
H. Lee, c	1	0	5	2
Calloway, c	1	0	0	2
Burkhalter, g	2	2	1	6
P. Lee, g	0	-1	1	1
Biesecker, g	2	0	1	4
Totals	16	6	14	38

Score by Quarters—Attucks 16 13 12 16—57; Rossville 13 6 8 11—38.

Free Throws Missed—Bryant 3, Gardner 2, Adams, Harp, Hickman, Posley, Wampler 3, Biesecker 3, P. Lee 2, Tharp, Calloway, Burkhalter.

## Lincoln Swamps Visiting Foes

EVANVILLE—Lincoln's upcoming Lions had it easy Saturday in swamping Morganfield Dunbar, 73-34.

Lincoln reserves saw plenty of action. Pete Watkins, reserve forward who had scored only 16 points previously this season, was high scorer with 27. He hit 13 field goals and a free throw.

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## Some Can't See Defense

It was learned on the best of authority at Attucks this week that the "Crowmen, ranked fifth in the state, have definitely decided to stagger through the rest of their schedule and even enter the tournament—despite the fact that they have (and we quote) "NO DEFENSE" and are continually misnamed a wonder team by those who haven't seen them play."

Now a good argument is the life of a sports page, but in the Attucks games covered by this scribe, we distinctly thought we saw the boys block a shot now and then. And by the way, Corky—how many times have you viewed the Tigers?

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# SATTERFIELD OR HENRY GOING TO GET HURT

## Tech Is Host to Local Tourneys 'By Default'

Technical high school will again sponsor the Indianapolis sectional, regional and semifinal basketball tournaments. It was revealed last week as tourney sites were announced.

Commissioner L. V. Phillips of the IHSAA told The Recorder that Tech will be host because, for one thing, "Tech is the only school that has put in an application to do it."

"Any school that wants to sponsor a tourney may get one of our official blanks and file it," the commissioner explained. "But for as long as I can remember, Tech has been the only Indianapolis school to do so."

The Greenlaid monopoly started before the local tourneys were played at Butler Fieldhouse, Phillips recalled. At that time the games were played at Tech's gymnasium, which is the largest high school goaleys in the city. "Others Are Willing"

"Tech has years of experience, the largest faculty, and trained help," he pointed out. "The other schools have always expressed a willingness to let Tech handle it."

The commissioner said the host school at an IHSAA sectional tourney is paid a flat \$250 beyond expenses. The Indianapolis sectional is "the biggest tourney job in the state." It is regarded as even more of a "headache" than the state finals.

Other Hoosier cities follow various systems. In South Bend, for example, Adams is always the host

## SUGAR GETS TWO MORE CITATIONS

NEW YORK (ANP)—Middleweight Champion Sugar Ray Robinson last week was honored as "Man of the Year" in sports for 1951 by the editor of Sports Magazine.

At a luncheon at the famed Toots Shor's Restaurant, Mayor Vincent Impellitteri presented the award and praised Robinson in a glowing address.

Outside the restaurant, Sugar Ray received another citation to add to his growing list. This was a parking ticket on his pink Cadillac.

## Bright Pursued By Jimcrow To the End

By JOCKE WILLIAMS

SAN FRANCISCO (ANP)—In hushed tones fans were griping, and in harsh words newspapermen were writing about the failure of the West coaches to use All-Americans Johnny Bright of Drake and Ollie Matson of San Francisco more in the recent East-West all-star game for the Shrine.

This reported chatted with Bright and Matson after the game and learned that both were dissatisfied with how they were utilized in the big game. On the other hand Don Coleman of Michigan State, who played with the East, praised his coaches.

Coaches for the West were Southerners—Jess Neely of Rice (in Texas), Bud Wilkinson of Oklahoma and Red Sanders of UCLA.

Bright carried the ball three times for 20 yards, and did not pass. Matson carried only six times.

Fans in the stands continuously yelled: "We want Bright, we want Bright," but they saw very little of their favorites.

On the local dailies, writers asked questions. James K. McGee wrote:

"Most of the reaction from the Monday morning quarterbacks centered around the failure of the West's coaches to use its acknowledged stars more freely or effectively."

By LUIX VIRGIL OVERBEA For ANP

Wednesday night will be a big night for boxing fans who gloat over power in the ring. On that evening the Chicago Stadium under the auspices of the International Boxing Club will play host to two "naturals," Bob Satterfield against Clarence Henry, heavyweights, and Joe Garza facing Chuck Davey, welterweights.

Both fights are scheduled for 10 rounds, but it is unlikely that either will last the limit. Television fans will see only the Henry-Satterfield go (not scheduled by WFBM-TV at this writing).

Satterfield is facing a big test when he meets Henry. If he wins, he can virtually demand a light-heavy title bout with Champion Joey Maxim, now that Harry Matthews has eliminated himself for the moment.

All Chicago fans know that there are very few men who can stand up under the type of punishment Bob dishes out when he is right. They also know that he is prone to take a snooze rather suddenly if he is plunked too solidly in the jaw.

A number of fight "experts" explain that Satterfield does not fight very well under heavy pressure; thus he loses the big ones.

Henry also is a heavy puncher, and he also is a good boxer. He is at his best when the opponent is at his roughest. Then Henry really applies the pressure.

If Satterfield scores a kayo, it will be early in the bout, but if Henry delivers the lethal blow, it will be in the latter rounds. In case of a decision, Henry should be the winner.

The second fight will feature two promising young white pugilists. This ringside favors Davey.

Every champion in every division (featherweight and up) will

## SECOND SESSION OF GOLDEN GLOVES FRIDAY AT ARMORY

defend his title soon, according to Matchmaker Al Weil of the International Boxing Club in New York.

Even Jersey Joe Walcott may fight again—with Ezzard Charles as opponent in June.

Light-heavy King Joey Maxim theoretically has given up on Harry "Kid" Matthews as his next title foe. It appears that Matthews, despite his announced desire to fight Joey, right now considers money a greater need than a championship.

Most prominent among names of likely challengers to Maxim are Sugar Ray Robinson, 160-pound champ, and Jake LaMotta, former champ.

Among the welters, Champion Kid Gavilan has one top challenger, Charles Humez of France, European champ. The Kid should have no trouble Feb. 4 with Bobby Dykes in Miami.

Paddy DeMarco appears to be next in line for a shot at Jimmy Carter's 127-pound title. This will be a real test for Carter. Incidentally, Jimmy will meet Mario Trigo on Jan. 21 in a 10-round non-title bout at Philadelphia.

Featherweight Champion Sandy Saddler reportedly will place his crown on the line soon against Roy Ankarah, South African battler.

Heavyweight Champion Jersey Joe Walcott may fight sooner than anyone thinks. It has been reliably reported, but not verified, that Walcott non-title bout at Philadelphia. New Jersey in preparation for a fight in March.

It is believed that Walcott will face an unknown in an indoor match in March, then fight for the last time in June—with Ezzard Charles as his foe.

## Eastside Man Seeks to Bring Negro Games to Victory Field

The much-discussed issue of Negro baseball games at Victory Field has come to the fore again. A local man is seeking to obtain use of the park from the Cleveland Indians, new owners of the Indianapolis club in the American Association.

Oliver Harrison, 1635 Cornell, owner of the Indianapolis All Stars baseball club, is making the current effort to lease the field for sepi games when the Indianapolis Indians are out of town.

Harrison attended the recent annual session of the Negro American League in Chicago and applied for the league franchise which is held by the Indianapolis Clowns. He was accompanied by his attorney, P. L. Harden.

The Eastside man, however, ran into a setup that is more tangled than the Korean truce talks. Clowns Hold Franchise

Dr. J. B. Martin, president of the NAL, informed Harrison that the Clowns, owned by Syd Pollock of Tarrytown, N.Y., still hold the local franchise. This is so despite the fact that the Clowns played the first half of the season out of Buffalo, N.Y., and generally have about as much connection with Indianapolis as the Harlem Globetrotters do with Harlem.

The Fun-Makers did favor the city with several appearances late last summer. The problem of leasing the park is still another matter that would require the wisdom of a Solomon to unravel. In the first place, it is owned by Norman A. Perry.

Perry leases the field to the Indians organization, and they in turn have a contract with Abe Saperstein, famed entrepreneur and owner of the Globetrotters, giving him the sole right to bring Negro games here. Saperstein, incidentally, is said to "have his arms around" the Cleveland Indians organization. He works closely with the Tribe management in bringing up Negro players.

Another food question, meanwhile, is what effect the predicted interracial makeup of the Indianapolis Indians will have on the fortunes of all-Negro baseball here.

Three colored players are slated to perform with the local Association club. If these players make good, judging from what happened elsewhere, local Negro fans will be attending in droves.

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# Bullmoose Jackson Here For Sure Sun. Nite at Sunset



HOLLYWOOD RADIO ARTISTS: Shown above NBC producer, Andrew C. Lover, center, discusses dialogue of "The Trader's Wife" with Edith Whiteman, left, and Kay Stewart. They are two of the members of the predominantly Negro cast in the recently presented NBC "Short Story" radio program, heard every Friday on the network.

## Appearance Positively Guaranteed For "I Love You, Yes I Do" Jackson

"BULLMOOSE" ("I Love You, Yes I Do") Jackson and his sensational Buffalo Bearcats will positively appear at the Sunset Terrace for a dance engagement this Sunday nite, January 13, according to the management of the popular dance. Mr. Jackson's illness prevented him from appearing at the Sunset last Sunday nite, but his appearance here this Sunday nite is GUARANTEED. The band is playing at a nearby city this Saturday nite and will leave directly after the dance in that town for the engagement here.

Dance lovers from all surrounding cities will be on hand this Sunday nite to hear the creator of "All My Love Belongs To You" when the aggregation starts jumpin' at the "Palace of Happy Dancin' Feet." "Bullmoose" promises to send you with "Sneaky Pete," "Bowlegged Woman," "Moose On The Loose," "Fare Thee Well Deacon Jones" and the new smash hit "I Can't Go On Without You."

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BULLMOOSE JACKSON



THAT MARRIED LOOK: Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jordan relax in a New York club following the famous bandleader's recent decision to take a long rest. Jordan married the former Florence Hayes Johnson of Chicago in Providence, R.I., Nov. 14. They met in Detroit several years ago. She is a former dancer.



WARFIELD BACK AS BERGEN GUEST... William Warfield (at piano), the husky baritone whose popularity zoomed to new heights in 1951, starts the new year with a repeat performance as guest star on The Edgar Bergen-Charlie McCarthy radio show over CBS on last Sunday. The singer is shown accompanying himself, at rehearsal, as he tries out a couple of songs for Bergen and McCarthy and Orchestra Leader Ray Noble.

### What's Doin' Among Local Bands

By BOB WOMACK

#### ATTENTION BAND

I have been approached by many of our popular leaders and sidemen with regards to organizing a musicians' club, a place where the fellows can let their hair down, have rehearsals free, telephone service and discuss plans for making Naptown a better city for musicians, etc. The club would be run by a board of directors, not in office by election only. However, it will take a little time to work out details on this setup. Will advise when ready. Watch this column.

Fred Wisdom, piano, is now in charge of the combo at the Oriental Cafe. The boys are working four nights a week. Fred is one of the city's leading musicians, and a few years back had the finest little band here at the old Cotton Club when the Avenue really jumped.

Cleve Bottoms, alto sax, who retired sometime ago, is now back with us, playing as much horn as always. I understand he is working on an off location here. It is rumored that Sid Valentine's Trio will soon return to work at a new location, spot is owned by his former boss, Charley, of the Nu-Way Bar. Here's wishing you luck, Sid.

The Seven and One club will have their formal dance at the Skatarena on January 19. Hours: 1:30 till 3:30 A. M. The Bobcats orchestra will play for the affair, featuring the lovely Billy Oliver vocalist.

### Gossip of Movie Lots

By HARRY LEVETTE

HOLLYWOOD, Calif. (ANP)—I started the New Year, 1952, with remorse at having had to neglect you and other faithful readers in not handing you as much news as you deserved, and as was really happening. Of course a terrific downpour of rain that handicapped checking and double-checking as I customarily do before passing the inside info on to you must bear part of the blame. Then too, perhaps you may have been too busy celebrating Yuletide to have done much reading so a good supply next week should make up for lost time.

And thanks to all the senders of greeting cards that are stacked a foot high on my desk, and others still coming in. I hope all the senders have received cards from me, but if not, please accept the social New Year's greeting I shall send out next week, in place of a personal card, because these names will be listed.

Last two few pictures previewed by "Your's Truly" just before the year's end were Walt Disney's "Olympic Elk," plus a reissue of "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs," and "African Queen," by Horizon Pictures, starring Humphrey Bogart and Katharine Hepburn. Both were screened at the Academy Award Theatre, and both are great pictures.

As I write this, I have just completed arrangements for Mrs. Eugenia Bradshaw to visit several studios, during her brief visit here from Chicago, and for the first time see motion pictures in the making. She arrived just the day before the fabulous Rose Tournament parade at Pasadena to be house guest of Mrs. Frances Bos-

## Count Fisher's Combo To Play Teen-Age Dance And Floor Show At Walker Casino Sun., Jan. 20



VETERAN DISC JOCKEY OF CHICAGO: Presented weekly over station WLEY, Chicago, Bill Hill is shown getting ready to go on the air with his "Shopping Bag" program. Hill was the first Negro disc jockey of Chicago to be heard over FM (frequency modulation) three and one-half years ago. Thousands of housewives throughout the entire city tune in on his programs to get first hand information on the values and bargains offered by some of the city's biggest department store chains.

Count Fisher and his All Stars, featuring Curly Williams, vocalist, will play for the dance and floor show billed as a Salute to Teen-Age Indianapolis at the Walker Casino Sunday nite, January 20. This will mark the first appearance of the popular swing aggregation at the newly renovated dance hall, and a capacity crowd is expected to attend the affair.

Augmenting the bill will be such stellar performers as Bill Cox, recording artist; Dorothy Simmons, star of Sepia; Bobby Lewis, sixty-minute man, and Mopps Marshall, specialty artist. This special entertainment package is being presented under the auspices of Naptown's young Teen-Agers Club and the general public is cordially invited.

Dancing will start promptly at 7:30 P. M. and continue until 2. Advance tickets are now on sale in your neighborhood at 75 cents. Admission at the door is \$1.00.

Send your RECORDER to a friend when you have read it.

### Richmond Launches Drive To Honor Bill Robinson

#### Poston Receives Beta Delta Mu Unity Award

NEW YORK (ANP)—Ted Poston, New York Post reporter who last year won the award for the outstanding metropolitan newspaper reporter for his coverage of the Florida "Little Scottsboro" case, last week received the Beta Delta Mu "Unity Award."

The citation was for his efforts to promote interracial brotherhood and unity. It was made at the fourth annual convention of the fraternity at the President Theatre, and was presented by Aiden N. Hafner, grand chancellor.

Poston has been responsible for a daily series of articles on the Josephine Baker-Stork Club incident. The Post is the only New York daily to give it extensive coverage.

RICHMOND, Va. (ANP)—Officials and sponsors of the Bill Robinson Memorial Foundation are appealing for support from white and Negro friends of the late dancer in the drive to raise some \$55,000 for the project.

Recently a citizen wrote a letter to the local morning newspaper suggesting that a football classic to be known as the Bill Robinson Bowl be played annually between the football teams of Maggie Walker and Armstrong high schools.

Bill Robinson Foundation officials have not pushed their drive to honor the Richmond-born tap dancer because of other drives in the city and state for charitable causes.

They plan this year, however, to set the drive in motion to secure the funds needed for the project, it was disclosed here last week.

### Gaseteria Sponsors New March of Time TV Program—Crusade Pacific

Russell S. Williams, president of Gaseteria, Inc., announced today that beginning on January 10th at 3:00 P. M. over WFBM-TV, Channel 6, his company will sponsor the March of Time 26-week TV program "Crusade in the Pacific."

With the background necessary to make the vast Pacific conflict comprehensible, "Crusade in the Pacific" amounts to a military and political history of the Pacific East Asian world from 1931 right through the Korean war.

The same award winning team is at the helm for "Crusade in the Pacific." Director of Television: Arthur Tourtelot supervised the production of "Crusade in Europe." TV Script Supervisor Fred Feldkamp, who adapted "Crusade in Europe" for the TV screen, has written this series. Film Editor Jack Bush, as he did in the previous series, has had to cut through millions of feet of film and with "Crusade in the Pacific" much of it has never been released for public showing.

Russell S. Williams of Gaseteria pointed out that the Pacific series is a more ambitious project than the European one in a number of ways—the new series will include the Korean campaign and all the other Asiatic-Pacific problems of today and will also end with a look into the future.

In sheer area and number of campaigns, the Pacific war was far bigger than the European one. With a number of quasi-independent commands to carry it on, it was history's best photographed and most voluminously recorded war, but the very fact that so many authorities were recording it has led to conflicting interpretations of a great many actions. Without getting into the rivalries between the commands of Admiral Nimitz, General MacArthur and the China-Burma-India theater leaders, Feldkamp and his research staff had to compare the available Dutch, British, Australian, New Zealand, U. S. Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, Coast Guard and Japanese films and records, and finally judge just what did happen when and where.

### Student Dorm At Hampton to Cost \$800,000

WASHINGTON, D. C. (ANP)—A long-term, low-interest loan of \$775,000 for the construction of dormitory facilities at Hampton Institute was recently approved by the Housing and Home Finance Agency, according to Administrator Raymond M. Foley.

The dormitory, designed to accommodate 51 students, will be built at an estimated cost of \$800,000.

The college is located in an area of national defense activities and is available to provide special training in many activities of the Defense Department.

Foley pointed out that Hampton's ROTC enrollment has almost doubled to 371 students during the last three years, with 400 expected to be under junior officer training during the coming school year. Some ROTC students are now reported as living four to a room in buildings built 70 years ago.



A recent participant on the NBC radio network talent testing show, "Live Like A Millionaire" was singer Ollie Jackson of Tyler, Texas. Shown with emcee Jack McCoy (left) and "talent scout" daughter, Ollie tells how funds collected by Tyler neighbors sent him to New York to further his musical career. He made a hit with studio audience by distributing among them 25 dozen roses, flown up from Tyler for the occasion.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN.  
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Effie Le Mond.  
No. 153-56189 1/5/52

**Russell J. Dean, Atty.**  
**COMPLAINT FOR DIVORCE**  
State of Indiana, Marion County, ss:  
In the Circuit Court of Marion County in the State of Indiana.  
No. 69127  
Virginia Hillard, Plaintiff  
vs.  
John Hillard, Defendant

**BE IT KNOWN**, That on the 19th day of December, 1951, the above named plaintiff, by her attorney, filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Marion County, in the State of Indiana, a complaint against the above named defendant John Hillard and the said plaintiff having also filed in said Clerk's office the affidavit of a competent person, showing that the residence of the defendant, upon diligent inquiry, is unknown, and the defendant John Hillard is not a resident of the State of Indiana, and that said cause of action is for divorce and that the defendant is a necessary party thereto and whereas said plaintiff having by endorsement on said complaint required said defendant to appear in said court, and answer or demur thereto on the 18th day of February, 1952.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, by order of said Court, said defendant last above named is hereby notified of the filing and pendency of said complaint against him and that unless he appear and answer or demur thereto at the calling of said cause on the 18th day of February, 1952, the same being the 13th judicial day of a term of said Court, to be begun and held at the Court House in the City of Indianapolis, on the first Monday in February, 1952, said complaint and the matters and things therein contained and alleged will be heard and determined in his absence.  
H. Dale Brown, Clerk  
1/12/52

**Mercer M. Mance, Atty.**  
**NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT**  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned has duly qualified as administratrix of estate of Lillian M. Le Mon deceased, late of Marion County, Indiana. Said estate is supposed to be solvent.  
No. 153-56225  
Wilhelmina Roxborough  
1/12/52

**Mercer M. Mance, Atty.**  
**NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT**  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned has duly qualified as administratrix of estate of George J. Oates deceased, late of Marion County, Indiana. Said estate is supposed to be solvent.  
No. 153-56219  
Mattie Nixon  
1/12/52

**T. Ernest Maholm, Atty.**  
**COMPLAINT FOR DIVORCE**  
State of Indiana, Marion County, ss:  
In the Superior Court of Marion County in the State of Indiana.  
No. B-88104  
Ruth Lane Johnson  
vs.  
Hubert T. Johnson

**BE IT KNOWN**, That on the 7th day of January, 1952, the above named plaintiff, by her attorney, filed in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Marion County, in the State of Indiana, a complaint against the above named defendant Hubert T. Johnson and the said plaintiff having also filed in said Clerk's office the affidavit of a competent person, showing that the residence of the defendant, upon diligent inquiry, is unknown, and the defendant, Hubert T. Johnson, is not a resident of the State of Indiana, and that said cause of action is for divorce and that the defendant, Hubert T. Johnson, is a necessary party thereto and whereas said plaintiff having by endorsement on said complaint required said defendant to appear in said Court, and answer or demur thereto on the 10th day of March, 1952.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, by order of said Court, said defendant last above named is hereby notified of the filing and pendency of said complaint against him and that unless he appear and answer or demur thereto at the calling of said cause on the 10th day of March, 1952, the same being the 5th judicial day of a term of said Court, to be begun and held at the Court House in the City of Indianapolis, on the first Monday in March, 1952, said complaint and the matters and things therein contained and alleged will be heard and determined in his absence.  
H. Dale Brown, Clerk  
1/12/52

### BIRTH CERTIFICATE

No. 26064  
Notice is hereby given that Elizabeth Marie Carpenter Grady has filed a petition in the Superior Court of Marion County, Indiana, Room 2 to have the time and place of her birth determined. Said petition is set for hearing on the 9th day of January, 1952.  
H. Dale Brown, Clerk

### BIRTH CERTIFICATE

No. 26065  
Notice is hereby given that Charley Reed has filed a petition in the Superior Court of Marion County, Indiana, Room 2 to have the time and place of his birth determined. Said petition is set for hearing on the 9th day of January, 1952.  
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At Kabat-Kaiser Institute, Santa Monica, California, Antoinette Robinson has received \$8715.90 in National Foundation chapter assistance. She will continue to receive chapter March of Dimes funds until she makes the maximum recovery possible for her. January is America's March of Dimes month.

## Judge Stevens Cites Bankhead Case Lawyer

**NEW YORK (ANP)**—Harold A. Stevens, a Negro judge of General Sessions Court here, last week set Jan. 24 as the day for sentencing the former secretary and maid of Miss Talulah Bankhead, who was found guilty of second degree larceny.

Judge Stevens also set aside that date as the time for Fred G. Moritt, defense counsel, to show cause why he should not be cited for contempt for his conduct, which the judge described as "belligerent," "impudent," "loud," "smug," "willfully disobedient" and "sarcastic."

An all-male jury, which was out for four hours and 45 minutes on the 13th day of the trial, found Mrs. Evelyn Cronin, 59, Miss Bankhead's former secretary, guilty for raising the amounts of the actress' checks.

**Praises Prosecutor**  
Both the jury and Asst. Dist. Atty. Jerome Kidder, the prosecutor, came in for commendation from Judge Stevens. After praising the prosecutor for conducting his case "ably, capably and as a gentleman," he turned to the defense counsel and said:  
"And now Morritt, I address myself to you."  
He then proceeded to cite two instances of conduct as the basis of the contempt proceedings.

Thus came to an end one of the most boisterous and spicy trials to appear in court here for some time. Many prominent persons were mentioned in connection with charges of Mrs. Cronin.

### Madison Singer Heard At Hanover

By H. C. JORDAN

**MADISON**—William Smith was guest singer at the Christmas program at the church in Hanover. He left for Indiana university after spending the holiday season with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Smith.

Among those home for Christmas were Mrs. Jennie Prince, Miss Betty Guess, Pte. W. O'Bannon, and Richard Hector.

Carl Johnson is confined to his home with the flu. The Dew Drop Inn's New Year's Eve party was a success.

### Franklin Woman Entertains Club

**FRANKLIN**—Mrs. M. J. Williams entertained members of the Leisure Hour club in her home last Sunday afternoon. Games were played, and prizes were awarded, after which dainty refreshments were served.

Sgt. and Mrs. John A. Poynter have returned from a visit to their home at Franklin, Tenn. The Ideal Embroidery club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Albert Jackson.

Messrs. and Mesdames Lee Crowe and Albert Jackson spent Sunday in Muncie with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Webster Montgomery and family entertained Rev. and Mrs. W. Lawton and Mrs. Hattie Caine at dinner on New Year's Day.

### Attends Brother's Funeral At Peru

**PERU**—Mrs. Katherine Woods Tacoma, Wash., was here last week to attend the funeral of her brother, Pfc. Edward Brakes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee entertained the Willing Workers club last Sunday afternoon.

Rev. C. H. Jackson, Franklin, was Christmas guest of his son, Rev. Ralph Jackson, and family here. The party were dinner guests of Mrs. George F. Crossland on Christmas.

Messrs. and Mesdames John Bowen and Joe Nicholas entertained as Christmas dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Leary Perkins, Fort Wayne; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Leggins, Muncie; and Mesdames Edward Thorn and Thomas Wilson.

William Lenore is very ill in the Wabash Railroad hospital. Miss Dorothy Cooper, who has been ill in the hospital for the past two weeks, is now at home.

Mesdames George Blanks and Joe Nuttall were recent visitors in Indianapolis.

## Around Richmond

By LEO DOTY

**RICHMOND**—Miss Dorothy Sawyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Sawyer, and Clifford S. Morton, Akron, O., were united in holy matrimony on Sunday morning, December 16, in the home of the bride, Elder T. R. Jefferies, pastor of the Original Church of God, Akron, performed the ceremony.

The bride was dressed in dark blue taffeta with pink accessories and a corsage of pink carnations. She carried a white Bible. Mrs. Sawyer was dressed in blue and wore a corsage of gardenias. The wedding march was played by Mrs. Grace Doty while the bridal group marched in from the dining room to the living room to meet the groom. The bridal table was set for the occasion with a large three-tiered cake.

Those present were Elder and Mrs. T. R. Jefferies, Akron; Mrs. Inah Sawyer, grandmother of the bride, from Liberty; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Sawyer and daughter, Joan, also of Liberty; the Misses Katherine and Valerie Cook, Portland, Ore.; and Miss Mozola Hooks, Steubenville, O., bridesmaid.

The couple left for their new home in Akron last Sunday afternoon, the bride traveling in a maroon suit with navy suede pocketbook, hat, and shoes. They reside at 1340 Laffer avenue.

### Woman Buried At Rockport

**ROCKPORT**—Funeral services for Mrs. Maud McCray were held in Smithfield Baptist Church on Wednesday afternoon of this week. Rev. Walter Highbaugh officiated.

The Christmas program at the church was well attended, and many gifts surrounded the tree. Mrs. Armentra Ellis spent Christmas at her home in Terre Haute with her sister, Mrs. Harold Chandler, and family.

**RETIRED EPISCOPAL RECTOR, AGE 84, DIES AT PADUCAH, KY.**

**PADUCAH, Ky. (ANP)**—An 84-year-old retired Episcopal rector and senior priest of the Kentucky diocese, the Rev. Jackson M. Mundy, died last week at the home of his son, Vernon Mundy, here.

After serving some 52 years as rector of St. Clement's Episcopal Church at Henderson, Ky., Rev. Mundy retired in 1949. Besides that he founded an Episcopal mission at Owensboro, Ky., and was a former principal of St. Clement's Parochial school and Eighth Street school at Henderson.

Mrs. Horace Goode is improving at her home, where she has been confined several weeks by Mrs. Mary Jones, former resi-

### Anderson Group Plans 2nd Quiz

By MARIE F. MORRIS

**ANDERSON**—Plans have been announced for the second quiz program to be sponsored by the Universal Spiritual Temple next Sunday. Prophet T. H. Cochran will be moderator.

Prophet Cochran and his wife, Rev. Unna Lee Cochran; Prophet W. Berry, Gadsden, Ala.; Revs. Bessie Poole and Maybelle Williams, and Messrs. M. Poole and Odie Williams, junior members of the Universal Spiritual Temple, attended the meeting at the Undenominational Mission conducted by Rev. T. R. Murff in Indianapolis on New Year's Eve.

A Christmas party originally planned for December 20 by the Dorie Miller chapter of the American War Mothers was given Thursday night in the Marion Veterans hospital for twenty patients. A variety of entertainment was offered, gifts were distributed, and refreshments were served. The chapter members enjoyed an After-Christmas gift exchange Tuesday night in the home of Mrs. Alice Slackman. The work of the past year was reviewed.

The William Hall Post No. 282 American Legion auxiliary, will have a party and gift exchange next Monday in the home of Mrs. Mary Lee Downing. The year's program will be arranged.

Mrs. Rosa Marsh and Norman Landers were appointed members of the G. O. P. patronage committee by Mayor Noland C. Wright to screen applicants for jobs with the city.

Mrs. Susie Watkins is visiting her daughter- and son-in-law in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Morris visited relatives and friends in Indianapolis last week.

Robert Jackson, who has been a patient in St. John's hospital is now at home and is reported improving.

Dr. Marie F. Morris was in Indianapolis on business last Monday.

Mrs. Tuttle Simmons, Indianapolis, is a surgical patient in St. John's hospital.

Gus Shacklett is confined to his home as result of injuries suffered in a fall last week. He sustained a broken arm and collar bone.

Mrs. Rosetta Kinnebrew, age 85, died last Friday morning in

### Guests Visit Plainfield Church

By Brite Bukes

**PLAINFIELD**—Brite Bukes and children, Cynthia and Brite Jr., Indianapolis, were guests at Bethel AME Church last Sunday. Rev. H. F. Greer delivered an interesting sermon, and remarks were given by Rev. W. Smith.

Rev. A. H. Davis, Vincennes, returned to his home last Saturday after visiting his daughter, Mrs. Gladys Carbin, and family.

The Bridgeport Christmas program was rendered last Sunday night. Otis Cullins is superintendent, and is assisted by his daughter, Kathryn.

Mrs. Louise Greer will be hostess to the senior missionary society Friday afternoon. Mrs. Anna Cullins is president of the group.

The Stewardess Board will have a chili supper Friday night. Mrs. Eva Swann is president.

### Sullivan Woman Visits Chicago

By BETTY MORRIS

**SULLIVAN**—Mrs. Lula Bass enjoyed a week's vacation in Chicago with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kirby attended church in Shelby last Sunday.

Rev. Morris Blade preached in Ferre Haute last Sunday. Milburn Whitfield spoke in his place here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kirby entertained Friday night with a party in honor of Sara Kirby. Among local guests were Milburn, Yanche Dale, and Tishie Whitfield, Cecil Rouse, and Bettie Morris. Sandwiches, ice cream, and cake were served.

her home here following a three-year illness. The body was taken to the Underwood Funeral Home, and funeral services were held Monday in Second Baptist Church.

Burial was in Pleasant Walk Cemetery. Mrs. Kinnebrew had resided here for 33 years. Survivors are a daughter, Mrs. Roberta Cochran, of this city; two sons, Oscar of St. Louis, and Frank of this city; eight grandchildren and twelve great-grandchildren.

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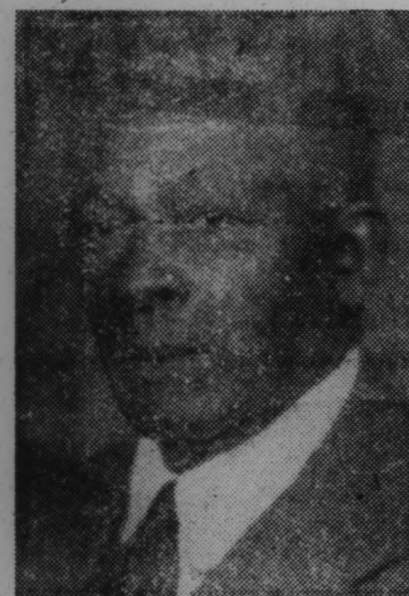


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WISDOM — In memory of Mrs. Flora May Wisdom, who passed away January 7, 1945.

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## Card of Thanks

VAULX—The family of Duncan M. Vaulx Sr., wish to acknowledge our heartfelt thanks and deep appreciation for acts of kindness, messages of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings during the illness and passing of our dear husband, father, brother and grandfather. We especially wish to thank the friends of the Barnes Hotel, New Baptist Church, Rev. Gaddie and visiting ministers for their comforting messages and the Stuart's Mortuary for their kind services rendered.

The Family.

SUTER—The family of Mr. Eric Wayne Suter wish to express sincere gratitude to their host of friends for expressions of sympathy extended to them during their recent bereavement. Most especially they are thankful to Rev. Jonathan A. Dames and associate minister for their consoling words and to the soloist, the choir and the Girls Ensemble of Bethel Church. They are thankful for beautiful floral designs and donated cars and for excellent service rendered by the Peoples Funeral Home.

Mrs. Wilma Suter, Mr. George Suter, Dr. Lyle Suter.

THOMAS—We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness shown us at the death of our wife and mother Mrs. Blanche Thomas. We especially thank Elder M. E. Golder, of Christ Temple for his consoling words, neighbors for their kindness and floral contributions. We also thank relatives and friends, those who donated cars and aided in any manner.

Solon Thomas and Family

WEATHERS—The family of Mr. David Weathers wish to express sincere gratitude to their host of friends for expressions of sympathy extended to them during their recent bereavement. Most especially they are thankful to the Reverend Alexander Bernard for his consoling words and to the choir of St. Mark Baptist church for their message in song. They are thankful for beautiful floral designs and donated cars and for excellent service rendered by the Peoples Funeral Home.

Mrs. Grace Weathers and Family.

COLEMAN—The wife of the late Gardner Coleman, extends appreciation to the Lockfield neighbors, friends and to Mrs. Emma Lee Merritt, for the flowers, words of reassurance and for the many acts of unforgetable kindness extended during the illness and passing of her husband.

Mrs. Bessie Coleman, Wife

VANCE—We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their kindness shown to us during the illness and passing of our mother, Carrie Vance. We especially thank Mrs. Rosie McLaurine, Essie Toliver for solos, those who sent condolences, telegrams, the ministers Rev. Dawson, of Cleveland, Ohio, J. T. Highbaugh, G. W. Evans and H. T. Toliver, for consoling messages, and those who sent flowers and donated cars, Jacob Brothers Funeral Home for service.

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## Bernice Buchanan

Funeral services for Mrs. Bernice Buchanan, age 55, 231 1/2 Puryear street, were held at the Stuart Mortuary Monday, Dec. 31. The burial was in New Crown cemetery. She died in the General Hospital on Friday, Dec. 28.

She was born at Dallas, Tex., and had lived here 28 years. Survivors include a son, Horace James of California, and a brother, Corrie Walker, Chicago.

Jennie Fisher Funeral services for Mrs. Jennie Fisher, age 71, 501 Bright street, were held at the Peoples Funeral Home Thursday, Jan. 10. The burial was in New Crown cemetery. She died at her home Monday, Jan. 7.

She was a member of the Good Samaritan Baptist Church. Survivors include three nephews, Andy, Henry and William Middleton, and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Lettie Middleton.

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Donald and Mary Kelly, 810 Blake st., No. 70, boy.  
Marshall and Mary Avery, 1356 N. Arsenal ave., boy.  
John and Albertine Brown, 2359 Martindale ave., boy.  
James and Ella Orkmon, 866 W. 25th st., boy.  
Jesse and Virgie Long, 2363 Yandes st., boy.  
James and Nancy Lewis, 2313 Baltimore, boy.  
Lawrence and Mayme Walker, 819 Locke st., No. 524, boy.  
Hezekiah and Christine Walls, 2065 1/2 Highland Place, boy.  
Fred and Virginia Thomas, 826 N. Illinois st., boy.  
Ralph and Bertha Saxton, 1431 N. Senate ave., girl.  
Jonas and Odreatha Hampton, 1812 Luther st., girl.  
Charles and Thelma White, 948 Indiana ave., No. 676, girl.  
Valter and Otis Peacock, 1020 W. 29th st., girl.  
Richard and Anna Suggs, 3221 Martindale ave., girl.  
James and Rosalie Clay, 1549 S. Rural st., girl.  
Carl and Philena Thurman, 810 Blake st., girl.  
Orville and Annetta Dawson, 2452 N. Oxford st., girl.  
Roger and Agnes Williams, 917 Eugene st., girl.  
Lemuel and Aslee Palmer, 2612 Rader st., girl.  
Charles and Minnie Webster, 820 E. Wyoming st., girl.  
Isaac and Julia Jones, 1528 Ren-ton st., girl.  
Henry and Betty Gaines, 1726 Linden st., girl.  
John and Elizabeth Silas, 625 N. Blackford st., girl.  
Milton and Zella Fagan, 739 N. California st., boy.  
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George and Louise Warren, 1623 Carrollton ave., boy.  
Bruce and Mary Knox, 423 W. 31st st., boy.  
William and Florence Dycus, 922 Hosbrook st., boy.  
James and Mildred Ross, 2426 Sheldon st., boy.  
Tommy and Linnie Hart, 2521 N. Oxford st., boy.  
Zenma and Doris Hegler, 819 Locke st., No. 510, boy.  
Frank and Lillian Rogers, 620 Blake st., No. 245, boy.  
Bernie and Jamesetta Stepp, 1931 Hillside ave., girl.  
Samuel and Norma Clay, 2052 N. Kenwood ave., girl.  
Walter and Mary Trice, 739 N. Belmont ave., girl.  
James and Hazel Graves, 531 W. Michigan st., girl.  
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Richard and Clara Whitfield, 2273 Hillside ave., girl.

### DEATHS

Sarah F. Eyrd, 77, 736 W. 25th, carcinoma.  
Robert Howard, 81, 1630 Martindale, cardiovascular.  
Duncan M. Vaulx, 64, 924 Fayette, carcinoma.  
John A. Ross, 49, 871 Torbett Street, carcinoma.  
Carol Vern Cheesborough, 11 days, 1715 East 25th Street, prematurity.  
Millard Hannah, 48, 1516 East 23rd Street, ulcer.  
Alice Ealy, 65, 3102 East 25th Street, carcinoma.  
Dale White, 51, 2140 Pleasant Street, portal cirrhosis.  
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## COLLEGES URGED TO TRAIN MEN FOR FOREIGN SERVICE

By ALICE A. DUNNIGAN

WASHINGTON, D. C. (AP)—Rep. Jacob K. Javits (R. N. Y.) last week appealed to presidents of four Negro colleges to establish courses at their institutions for the training of students for foreign service careers.

The suggestion was made to Dr. Horace Mann Bond, president of Lincoln (Pa.) University; Dr. Rufus Clement, Atlanta University; Dr. Mordecai Johnson, Howard University; and Dr. Charles S. Johnson, Fisk.

Letters sent to these college heads were inspired by an ANP article pointing the opportunities now available for Negro personnel in foreign service. This item was reprinted in the Congressional Record and also in the December issue of the Foreign Service Journal.

For nearly two years, Congressman Javits has spearheaded a movement for the employment of more Negro personnel in high places of the State Department.

**Welcomes Applications**  
He said Carlisle H. Humelsine, a State Department official, had informed him more than a year ago that "the department welcomes applications from Negro candidates with a positive view of appointment of well prepared and well qualified candidates."

The relatively small number of Negroes serving in the diplomatic corps is due mainly to lack of qualified persons applying for the jobs rather than to discrimination

against Negro applicants by the Department, declared Humelsine, according to Representative Javits.

This observation was made in response to an inquiry by Representative Javits on the reason why more Negroes were not assigned to foreign posts.

**List Compiled**  
The spokesman said the State Department had encouraged organizations to supply names of qualified Negroes to fill specific vacancies if and when they occur in the department. Such a list has been compiled, he said, and is now in the current files. The names suggested for this list, however, are not applicants for foreign service.

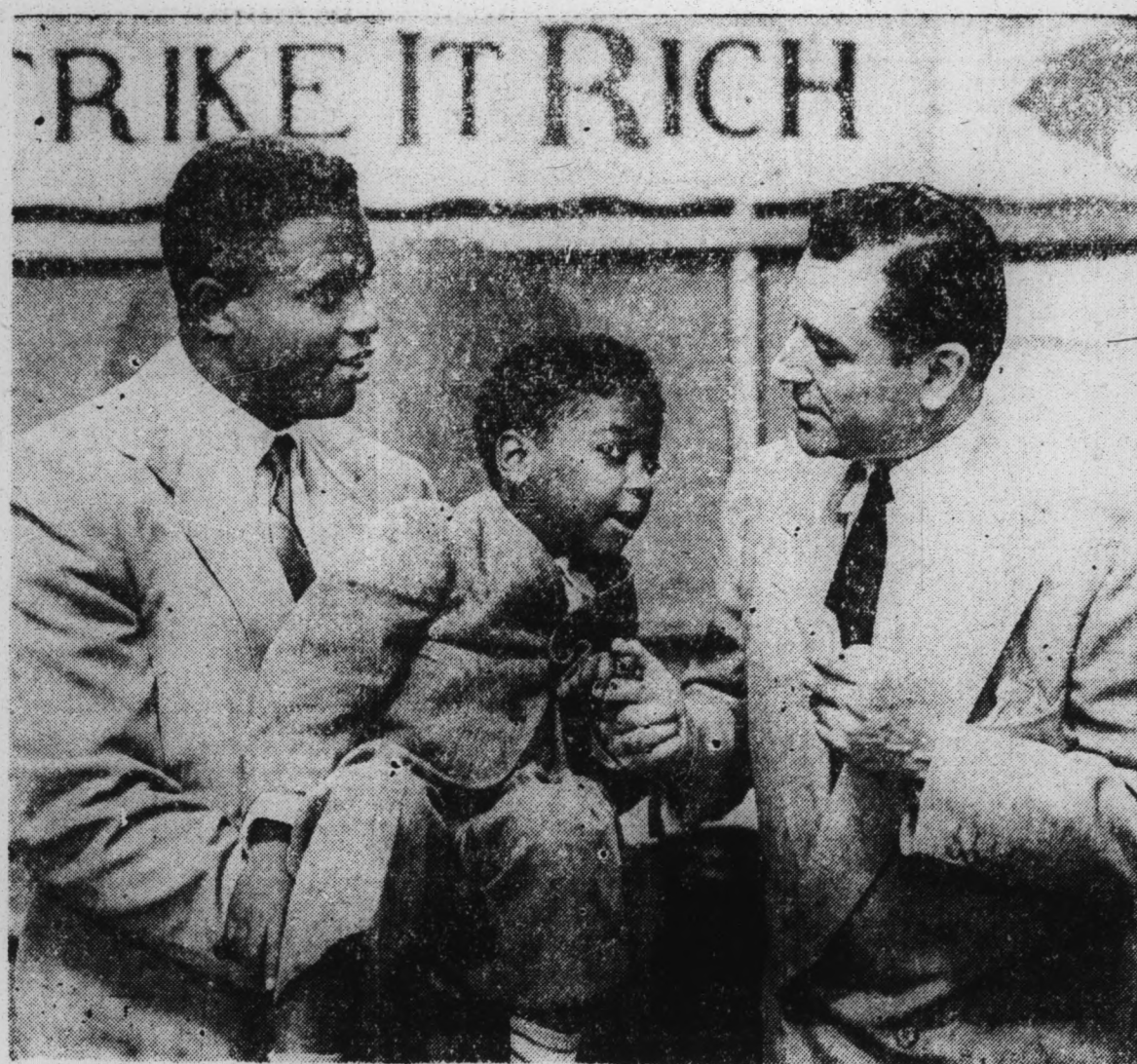
The article appearing in the Foreign Service Journal gives a fairly complete list of Negroes now serving in foreign fields, but adds that "this is not nearly enough considering the opportunities."

These statements served as a basis for Congressman Javits' letters to the school heads not only urging them to set up courses in foreign service, but also advising "that guidance personnel make such recruiting an important part of their programs and assist especially in it."

Javits said:  
"The whole problem is of particular importance now because so much of our foreign policy will be concerned with the growing activity and the new nationalism of hundreds of millions of colored peoples in Asia, Africa and Latin America."

"I could not think of a more impressive demonstration of our democracy than would be afforded by a truly representative participation of Negro citizens in foreign service posts."

Assuring the college presidents of the State Department's cooperation, Representative Javits advised them to confer with the department without delay for recommendations for such a movement.



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